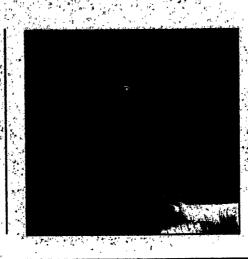


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Diamondhead BP&A meets this morning

Diamondhead Business & Professional Assoc. membership meeting will be today at 8 a.m. the Diamondhead Country Club. The guest speaker will be Bill Director of Parsons, Stennis Space Center. "Business After Hours" will also be today, 5-7 p.m., hosted by Cindy Knoblock, manager of Whitney Bank, located at the Diamondhead Shopping Center.

BCE Lenten dinner

Bay Catholic. Elementary will host a Lenten Dinner, 5-7:30 p.m., this Friday at the school cafeteria. Will be serving fried catfish or meatless spaghetti, \$5. Take-outs available,

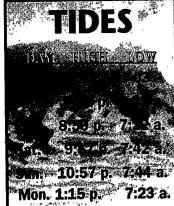
Valena Jones musical

Valena C. Jones United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis will host a musical this Saturday at 7 p.m. All are invited for music and food.

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With war well under way and local soldiers participating in operations in Iraq, Kuwait and Afghanistan, the Mississippi National Guard and our local emergency officials turn their attention toward ...

Homeland Security

Troops keeping an eye on county ports, waterways

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER **Staff Writer**

Six members of the local National Guard Det 1, Company B, 1/155 Infantry Battalion in Bay St. Louis were called to active duty last week when war broke out with Iraq. The armed soldiers are patrolling the Port Bienville Industrial Facility 24 hours a day, and keeping an eye out for any suspicious activity.

"We got a call a call about 10 p.m. one evening," said Woodcock. "And were told to report for duty the next morning at 8 a.m."

The men are not certain yet just how long they will be on active duty. Right now they are scheduled to be at the port at least until April 6. Soldiers from other National Guard units across the coast are engaged in similar activities at other ports, said Allen.

Several area restaurants, Bay Waveland Pizza, Daddy O's, Jackie O's, the Reef and Rickey's, have been donating meals to the young men while they are at the port.

About 40 National Guardsmen serve the armory in Bay St. Louis.

In other business: Port and Harbor Deputy Director Greg Deakle said the office has received several complaints of a pipeline floating in the vicinity Cross Bayou, causing a possible hazard to

boaters.

The problem comes as the result of dredging at the entrance of the shipping

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National Guard Specialist Neal Allen, 21, of Orange Grove, left, and Specialist Mendon Woodcock, 20, of Long Beach are among six National Guardsmen called to active duty to help guard Hancock County's Port Bienville Industrial Facility.

KEEPING HANGOCK GOUNTY SAFE

First responders meet to discuss contingency plans

BY BENNIE SHAMBETTER Staff.Writer

The Mississippi Emergency Management Agency held a meeting: Wednesday morning with local emergency workers and officials to make sure plans for emergency action are up and running, said Civil: Defense Director/Fire Marshall Brian Adam.

"We just want to be sure people are ready in case of a local emergency," he said.

The state Emergency Operations Center is already operating 24 hours a day, said Adam, since the state of alert moved to orange status. The local civil defense office, recently renamed the Emergency Management Agency (EMA) to

encompass both civil defense and fire service, is not on a 24 hour schedule yet, Adam said.

Hank Wheeler, from Hancock Medical Center, briefed officials on the possibility of decontamination showers being installed at the hospital to be used in the event of chemi-

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Hancock Bank.

Bay Fire Dept. trains to combat terrorism

Techniques include handling chemical attack

THE SEA COAST ECHO

You expect there to be special training for homeland security in major cites, especially port cites, but Bay St. Louis? No city is without risk and Bay St. Louis is no exception, with three major transportation corridors and also being the front door to the Gulf of Mexico. "CSX railroad lines makes our

community vulnerable to sabotage in times of crisis and crazies," said Mayor Eddie Favre. I want our people to be as well trained to handle homeland security as well as they handle every day in the Bay. I expect them to be organized, prepared and trained. We are very proud of the addition-

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Stennis Space **Center Director Bill Parsons**, left, and Rear Adm. Thomas Q. Donaldson V, commander, Navai Meteorology and Ocean-ograpy Command, address more than 300 area business leaders who attended the Regional Coffee Call at Casino Magic **Bay Towers** Hotel's Cypress Cove Baliroom in Bay St. Louis. Echo staff photo by Randy Ponder

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Dig up some fun with 'Paws on Parade'

THE SEA COAST ECHO Come out and join the fun at the third annual "Paws on Parade" and pet sponsored by Friends of the Animal Shelter in Hancock County on Saturday March 29 at 11:00am in Waveland.

Registration will be from 9:30 until 10:45am in Veterans Memorial Park located at Coleman Avenue and Beach Boulevard.

Entry fee is \$7.00 for the the parade up Coleman Hawkins of the

first pet and \$5.00 for each Avenue, a pet festival will Herald" additional pet if you preregister at any of the following: The Purple Snapper, Bookends Bookstore, and Pet Haven Veterinary Hospital in Bay St. Louis and That Cute Little Shop in Waveland.

Parade day registration is \$10.00 for the first pet and \$5.00 each additional

Immediately following

Fighting Fire

After completing a Forty Hour Course in their spare-time, these Volunteer firefighters

attended the Mississippi State Fire Academy for another 8 hours to be tested on the

skills that they had learned over a two month period in class. Fire Instructor Mike Smith

said that all of the firefighters that attended, successfully completed the course and

passed the skills test and are now Certified Volunteer Firefighters. Instructor Mike

Smith also stated that Volunteer Firefighters are very special People, anyone who would

devote a large portion of their spare time to learn to save lives and property at a

moments notice is to me, a very special person. Smith stated that we should be very

West Nile Virus community

focus group set for March 31

understanding of the fears

and concerns of our public,"

said epidemiologist Sally

Slavinski, DVM, MPH. "The

focus groups are planned

around the state to deter-

mine the best methods for

The Mississippi State

Department of Health is in

the process of developing

new materials to educate

the public, community lead-

ers, and the medical com-

munity about West Nile

virus. The new materials

will encourage the public to

practice personal protec-

tion, promote community-

oriented environmental

clean up. and educate

Health officials encour-

health care workers.

our prevention campaign."

Certified Volunteer Firefighters

proud of the Fire Service that we have in Hancock County.

be held in the soccer field. Starting the festival will be a Blessing of the Pets by Fr. Jack Rietti immediately followed by costume contests with prizes awarded for best costumes, largest pet, smallest pet, best trick, and owner and pet look alike. This year's judges will be Mayor Longo of Waveland, Geoff Belcher of the "Sea

Coast Echo", and Scott

"Sun

There will be agility, obedience, and K-9 demonstrations, Madame Ju Ju the paw reader, pictures of you and your pet with the Easter Bunny, breed rescues and other venders. Friends of the Animal Shelter will also have a bake sale and hot dog stand.

All proceeds benefit the new spay and neuter clinic being built at the Waveland Animal Shelter.

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ed to those who qualify under guidelines of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act (SSCRA), passed by Congress to allow militions so that full attention

The federal statute is lized for active duty.

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payments and delaying of all civil court actions such as bankruptcy, foreclosure or divorce proceedings.

An estimated 4.500 Mississippians currently are on active military duty, including those in the Guard and Reserves. Mississippi has the sixthhighest National Guard membership among all states, based on members per 10,000 residents, and the state's Guard and reserve troops are being called up at double the

national rate. associates

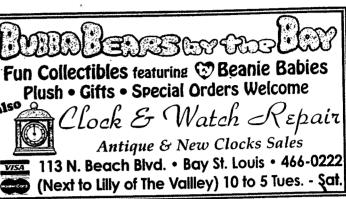
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Bay woman killed in crash

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER **Staff Writer**

Health officials need Gulf

Coast residents' feedback on

a public health topic that

made its presence known in

the public is invited to par-

ticipate in a West Nile virus

community focus group

from 6 - 7 p.m. at the

Harrison County Health

Department, 1102 45th

be held for community lead-

comment and suggestions

on the best methods of com-

municating public health

messages about West Nile

virus and to get a better

ers, from 3:30 to 5 p.m..

A similar focus group will

"We simply want public

Avenue, Gulfport.

On Monday, March 31,

Mississippi last summer.

Bay St. Louis resident Robin Peterson, 43, was killed in a truck and car crash on U.S. 49 in Gulfport on Tuesday, when the truck she was riding in was struck by another car. Her husband, Lawrence, 41, who was driving the truck, and the driver of the other car Angela Cuevas, 19, of Saucier were taken to Memorial Hospital for treatment. The other passenger in Cuevas' car, Justin Phelps, 17, was not injured.

The couple were on their way to Hattiesburg to visit their daughter.

Authorities said that Cuevas was traveling south on U.S. 49 when she attempted to cross the medium toward Pine Tree Drive, her car striking the Road. Speakers have been to provide security material.

driver's side of Peterson's stopped to help. truck. Peterson, who was not wearing a seat belt was thrown from the vehicle. The truck flipped over several times and landed on Peterson, who died at the

At the scene were the Mississippi State Highway Patrol, the Saucier Volunteer Fire Department and several Public Service Commission employees who

No charges have been filed according to Sgt. Joe Gazzo, but the incident is under investigation.

age the community to offer

suggestions on what mes-

sages are most effective and

identify who can communi-

cate those messages. As par-

ticipants in the focus group

meeting. Mississippians will

play an important role in

developing grass roots

strategies to prevent out-

breaks of West Nile virus.

Last year, 193 West Nile

cases and 12 deaths were

about the Gulfport commu-

nity focus group, the public

5151 or Sharon Sims and/or

Sally Slavinski, DVM, MPH,

in Jackson at (601) 576-

reported in Mississippi.

Peterson was taken to Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. A visitation will be held on Friday from 10 a.m. until Noon, with a prayer service following.

Burial will follow at CoCo Cemetery in Kiln.

American Legion Post 139 to host community security forum

139 will sponsor a "Community Forum" on March 31, 2003,

THE SEA COAST ECHO invited from Keesler and American Legion Unit the National Guard, as well as fire and police depart-Security ments. Rep. Gene Taylor has also been invited. Many at 6:00 p.m. at the Post companies are being asked Home on Green Meadow to set up information booths

Notice to Candidates Only 4 Days left!

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Greenways group working to save environment

BY BENNIE **SHALLBETTER Staff Writer**

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If certain sights disappeared from the county tomorrow, what would you miss most? It could be a stand of pines that you pass on the way to work, an expanse of marsh land that provides a clear view of a sunset, or an old church lined with azalea bushes.

Whatever it is, the Greenways Committee is interested in your view point. And to enable the public to express their view, the committee is in the process of conducting a survey. The survey also asks locals to rank the environmental features they find important, such as preser-

vation of wildlife habitats. Greenways is in the mist of a countywide project to preserve and put in to place a system of natural areas. walking paths, biking paths, horseback riding paths, parks and more. To do this,

they need you.

Surveys are available at the Bay St. Louis Branch of Hancock County Library. They can also be obtained from the Hancock Chamber county Commerce by calling 467-9048. Surveys will be avail-

the library from April 8-11. If you are curious about the Greenways Committee, April is a good month to check out their activities. The committee will host a

able at the Kiln Branch of

reception at the Hancock County Equine Facility and Livestock Arena in Kiln on Monday, April 7 at 5:30 p.m. Members of the chamber, local officials, and committee members will be there to answer questions.

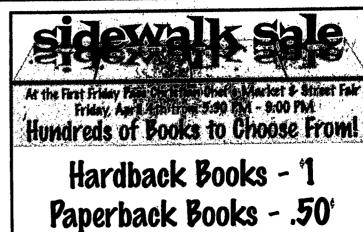
Also at the reception, the committee will unveil their logo. The logo will be used on signs to point people to trails, parks and other features and employ local flora and fauna in its design. The committee also hopes to have students from local environmental classes presenting examples of their work. Light snacks will be served.

In connection with the projects, the City of Bay St. Louis in conjunction with

the Gulf Regional Planning Commission is hosting a Walkable Community workshop on April 14 from 7:30 a.m. until 12 p.m. at the Bay St. Louis Depot. Peter Lagerwey, the manager of the City of Seattle, Wash. Bike and Pedestrian Planning Department will facilitate the workshop. The workshop is free and the public is invited.

The purpose of the workshop is to expose local officials, developers and citizens to the concepts of a community which is friendly to pedestrians, both walkers, bicycle riders and oth-

workshop will The include an actual walk around the city at 10 a.m.



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Ashley Flynt, Junior Miss 2004

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Ashley Flynt Diamondhead was selected Hancock County Junior Miss 2004 at Hancock High School on Friday night, March 15.

Ashley is the daughter of Joe and Catherine Flynt. She is a junior at St. John High School. As her talent Ashley presented a lyrical dance to the song "I Can Only Imagine by Mercy

Ashley will receive full two-year tuition from Pearl River Community College, a scholarship from William Carey, and a cash scholarship from the Hancock County Junior \mathbf{Miss} Association. Ashley will participate in the Mississippi Junior Miss competition held in Meridian on July 30 - Aug. 2.

Ashley competed along with seven other Hancock County girls. They were Hariel, Kesha Misty Shalane Saucier, Prestenbach, and Joelle Kiefer of Hancock High, nate, won the Poise Heather Ladner and Amy Preliminary, and was select-



Ashley Flynt

Clark of Bay High and Tiffany Longo of OLA. The girls competed in Interview, Scholastic, Poise, Talent, and Fitness. The winner of each preliminary will receive a cash scholarship.

Marcus and Micah Ladner of Hancock High School served as escorts for the evening. They are the sons of Mark and Melanie Ladner of the Dedeaux Community. Joelle Kiefer won the Interview and Preliminaries. Misty Hariel was selected as first alter-

ed by fellow contestants to receive the Spirit of

Junior Miss Award. Kesha Saucier earned the ScholasticAward.

The national presenting sponsor of America Junior Miss is Health South. Other sponsors include Coca-Cola, Bally Total Fitness, Uppseedaisees Loungewear, Thermasilk and Tyson Foods. National category sponsors include the Guardian Life Insurance Company of America, Terminix, Mobile Gas and UBS/PaineWebber.

Governmental support is furnished by the City of Mobile, Mobile County and the state of Alabama. The 46th annual America's Junior Miss National Finals will be held in Mobile, Alabama, in June of 2003. For more information on America's Junior Miss, visit the AJM Web Site at www.ajm.org,

For more on Friday's contest., please contact Sandy Garriga at 601-798-0894 or Beth Seymour at 228-255-

Spaghetti dinner and silent auction

THE SEA COAST ECHO Bay High "Tiger Pride" Band and Bay High Steppers Dance Team will sponsor a Spaghetti Dinner and a Silent Auction, in the Bay High Cafeteria, on Saturday, March 29th from 5 PM until 7:30 PM. The meal will includes cold slaw, garlic bread and a drink. Desserts may be purchased, also. Eat in, or take

The dinner is \$5.00.

The Silent Auction proceeds will go to the Bay Steppers. The Steppers will have an autographed football from Brett Farve, gift certificates, hand made crafts and more.

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Wilkes named CAP commander

The Civil Air Patrol, an auxiliary of the U.S. Air Force, performs inland search and rescue missions.

Wilkes officially replaced

at the Mississippi Wing Conference in

Diamondhead. Wilkes, a Pascagoula resident, graduated from Vanderbilt University and retired from the Marines

after more than 30 years. Wilkes became the first Tenn., and was the president and CEO of Buffalo Airways.

He joined the CAP in August of 1993 as Wing Legal Officer. In 1999 he was assigned to his last position. Wing Commander.

DIAMONDHEAD, Miss. Col. Donald Angel Saturday night judge in Nashville,

(AP) _ Col. John B. Wilkes has become the new commander of the Mississippi Civil Air Patrol.

The Kiln Public Library has abright and colorful collection of butterflies, in various shapes and forms, is on loan from Charlene Smuck of Diamondhead and Harriet Bellone of Waveland. The butterflies will be on display through the end of March. For

Bay library has Viewmaster display; Kiln, butterflies

The Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library has quite a collection of Viewmasters, everything from Mister Magoo to The Flintstones to Mickey Mouse. The collection, owned by Joel Bullock of Bay St. Louis, includes other Fisher Price toys. such as a windup Jack in the BoxThe Viewmasters will be on display through the more, call the 255-1724.

end of March. For more, call 4675282.

Registration Saturday for Bay Dixie Fastpitch Softball League

Softball League is holding tryouts on Saturday for the following groups: 7-8 year olds, 9:30-10:30 a.m.9-10 year olds, 10:30-11:30; 11-12 year olds, 11:30-12:30.

If our child has not registered, please come to the field a half-hour before try-

age groups will have tryouts Jenkins at 452-7670.

The Bay Dixie Fastpitch istration for age groups 4-6 at a later date. Fore more and 13-older. The 13& older information, call Dane

> Waveland Little League final registration Waveland Little League is hosting final registration for

13-14 year olds. For more information, call Coach Leo at 469-0687. Leave a message. If anyone is interested in putting a 4'x8' sign at the ball

park, call Marian at 806-0987. The league will take reg-

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Cuevas' Quotes

by Ellis C. Cuevas **Publisher Emeritus**

here will be a Paws on Parade on Saturday, March 29 in Waveland sponsored by the Animal Shelter of Hancock

County. This is an annual event which draws a lots of folks and is scheduled for 11 a.m. Saturday.

Registrations will be from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. in the Veterans Memorial Park and Beach Boulevard on parade day, \$10 for first pet and \$5 for second pet.

Or for pre-registration, \$7 for first pet and \$5 second pet at one of the following; The Purple Snapper, Bookends Bookstore, and Pet Haven Veterinary Hospital in Bay St. Louis and That Cute Little Shop in Waveland.

Following the parade on Coleman Avenue there will be a Pet Festival at the Coleman Avenue Soccer Field.

To start the Festival there will be a Blessing of the Pets by Fr. Jack Rietti followed by costume contests with prizes for best costume, largest pet, smallest pet, best trick, and most important, owner and pet

look alike. Sounds like there will lots of fun and it is really a great benefit for the new spay and neuter clinic being built at the Waveland Animal Shelter.

On Wednesday, April 2, at Moss Point, the Department of Marine Resources will be joining local and state agencies in hosting a Clean Marina Workshop for Mississippi and Alabama.

The aim is to form a Clean Marina Program, which is something of great import for the coastal counties.

This is a workshop for marina owners and there will be discussions on how marinas can receive finan-

cial assistance to improve their operations. There are only 10 clean marina programs in the nation, so we're sort of getting in on the ground floor of a great program.

The steering committee includes DMR and the Hancock County Board of Supervisors and a number of other concerned agencies along the Mississippi and Alabama Gulf Coast.

The workshop is free and is set for 2 p.m. at the Pelican Landing in Moss Point. For further information, you can call 228-818-8838.

Beginning on Saturday, March 30, through April 21, Cellular South will participate in an Easter Food Drive to benefit three Coast charities, the Hancock County Food Pantry in Bay St. Louis, Back Bay Mission in Biloxi and The Lord is

My Help in Ocean Springs. As I mentioned last week, the Hancock County Food Pantry has been very busy helping deserving folks and I am sure the other three along the Coast have been too.

Non-perishable food items will be accepted at Cellular South at 301 Highway 90 ih Bay St. Louis; 211-A Eisenhower Drive, Biloxi; 9471 Inree Rivers Road in Gulfport; 2424 Bienville Boulevard in Ocean Springs and 2512 Denny Avenue in Pascagoula.

Do not forget the Diamondhead Business & Professional Association's Business After Hours set for 5 to 7 p.m. this evening at Whitney Bank,

Diamondhead. Whitney Bank is the sponsors and I am sure Cindy Knoblock will be happy to see you all.

There should be good snacks and door prizes. P.S.: Bring along a couple business cards.

Muirhead championed women's rights

Jean Muirhead quietly ment on the Senate reading adopted. clerk's desk during a routine Senate debate on a bill making some small change in the state law on

court jury selec-

tion. It was 1968.

Her fellow lawwere makers unaware she was about to take women's rights in Mississippi out of the dark ages.

Her amendment was simple: It removed only

standing statute setting out the qualifications of persons who could serve on state court juries.

The word was "male."

Before most of the men in the Senate comprehended the meaning of striking the word "male" from juror

placed a proposed amend- amendment had been a practically illiterate man.

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Α George Sen. Yarbrough, Red Banks, then the Senate President Pro Tem, after the entire bill had passed, held it up another day on a reconsideration motion.

But word had gone forth that the 'simple" amendment put in the bill by Muirhead would end a century of discrimina-

ONE word in the long- tion against Mississippi women serving on juries. By then it couldn't be stopped. It went on the law books.

A postscript: When Jean But it was a key word. Muirhead, whose Senate district covered most of Southwest Jackson, came up for re-election, despite the courageous blow she had struck for women's

qualifications, Muirhead's rights, she was defeated by

Muirhead's experience is blustering poignantly symbolic of the struggle by women in this state to win and hold elective public office.

The statistics on the number of women put into office, especially higher office, in this state tell an atrocious story, confirming the view--long held by this writer--that there is a builtin bias in the electorate against putting women in governmental positions.

A study by the respected Eagleton Institute Rutgers at Politics University shows Mississippi is fourth from the bottom of all states in the number of women serving in the state Legislature.

We, says the Eagleton report, are one of only five states which has never elected a woman to the U.S. House or the U.S. Senate. That latter statistic is especially shameful, considering

that both our neighboring states--Louisiana Arkansas--now have a woman in the Senate.

More women are needed government Mississippi "to provide a balance" in decision-making and solving problems, Evelyn Gandy, the "first lady of Mississippi politics" strongly insists.

Gandy, now 81, came nearest to being elected Mississippi's only woman governor, in 1979, and again in 1983, both times leading the ticket in the Democratic first primary and being defeated in the runoff.

Gandy, then the state's lieutenant governor, made her closest bid in 1979 when she was defeated by William Winter in the Democratic runoff. Winter went on to win the general election, over Republican Jack Reed. still in a time when Mississippi was a one-party

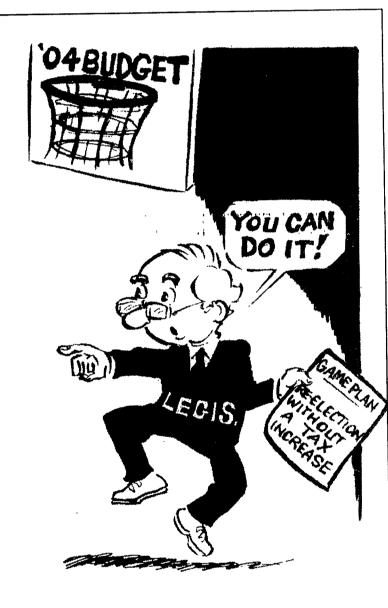
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Schools should test employees for drugs

After reading the article District, you better think concerning drug testing of students in the Bay-Waveland School District, I felt the need to share some thoughts with the public. In nearly all sectors of the potential workforce. employees are required to submit to drug screening. Most of us appreciate that employers are not only protecting themselves, but also their clients. Imagine being attacked in the supermarket by a drug-crazed employee; or being involved in an auto accident because the bus driver was "high".

We all want to protect ourselves, but most importantly, we need to protect our children. We get our children off to school each morning feeling confident and secure in the knowledge that they are in good company; our teachers are certified and well trained to respond in just about any given situation. Well, if your children attend school in the Bay/Waveland School

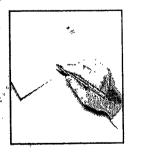
again! The teachers may be qualified, but what about the support staff, i.e., cafeteria workers, cleaning crews, and maintenance workers. These employees are not required to take a drug test. They are not given a handbook containing rules with which they must comply or conduct that must be followed. These employees are low paid and work only thirty-five hours per week. I suppose, given these facts, the school district is concerned they may only get what they pay for, so why discourage a potential employee with a drug test. Although the majority of these people are in fact honest hard working citizens, they have contact with our children. Shouldn't they be held to a standard at least equal to store checkers, bag boys, stock persons, and most importantly, the chil- evident that the Dirk Dedeaux

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Rural Internet Access

BY DIRK DEDEAUX State Rep.

Just two generations ago our leaders undertook the task of rural electrification. Because electricity was usually more readily available in cities than in rural areas it soon became urban areas of the

country would receive the

the rural areas would be left in the "dark." Today the same trend is happening with telecommunications.

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While Winter has since become revered for enacting landmark 1982 Education Reform Act and Mississippi's elder statesman, many observers believed back in 1979 that voters, who twice before had rejected his bid for governor, narrowly chose him over Gandy because she was a

Gandy modestly declines now to say if she believes gender bias was the decisive factor in her 1979 loss.

Since 1983, Gandy hasn't sought any public office, contenting herself as a mentor, cheerleader and role model for other women in politics. Her prize pupil had been Lt. Gov. Amy Tuck, who won her job as a Democrat in 1999 with a hefty boost from Gandy.

Last November, when Tuck switched parties with considerable fanfare and an unprecedented gathering of Republican bigwigs in the second-floor rotunda of the

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Gandy has shied away from commenting on Tuck's party switch. Tuck, incidentally, is one of five women elected lieutenant governor in the South in the past four vears-a new high for the region--and she is the only one who is a Republican.

"We have made some progress in the number of women elected to public office in this state," said Gandy "but we have fallen behind other states."

Gandy cited a dramatic example of how women can make a major difference in shaping public policy. In 1950 when Gandy was a member of the Mississippi House, "my colleague, the late Rep. Zelma Price of Greenville, played a crucial role in establishing the University of Mississippi Medical School and teaching hospital in Jackson."

One vote would decide if the bill would pass it, "and State Capitol, Gandy, whom when she was hospitalized Tuck had once acclaimed as for injuries in an automo- Norman declared, adding:

bile accident." Gandy remembered.

So determined was Price to cast her vote for the Medical School she was rushed down to the Capitol in an ambulance, and wheeled onto the floor of the House on a hospital gurney.

"Zelma's vote passed the bill and today we have one of the outstanding medical schools in the country." Gandy said.

to finance their campaigns, Gandy said, "is the biggest problem women face in runoffice for ning Mississippi."

Dr. Cora Norman, the longtime director of the Mississippi Humanities Council, who made an unsuccessful bid for State Auditor in the 1991 Democratic primary, agrees. Norman gave specifics of the disparity between men and women in campaign financing.

"I would go to a fundwe were counting on Zelma raising event and people would write \$20 checks."

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"but you knew these same people would write \$500 checks for men candidates." She remembers, too, how few invitations she received

to speak to civic clubs whose memberships were largely, or entirely, male.

Norman, who is widelyknown in academic, educational and women's circles, said she had hosted some campaign events for Amy Tuck when Tuck was run-Raising adequate money ning for lieutenant governor as a Democrat in 1999. But Norman is backing Democratic State Sen. Barbara Blackmon this

> "I think if you switch parties while in office, you should resign until the next election," Norman declared.

Ironically, a week ago the Legislature designated March as "Women's History Month in Mississippi."

Trouble is, most of those lawmakers heaping praise on women's role in the nation's history apparently would rather not see women help write Mississippi histo-

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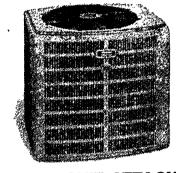
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being accepted by the opposite chamber or going to a "conference committee" for final negotiation and wording. Bills on which the changes have been agreed to in both chambers have been sent to the governor for his approval.

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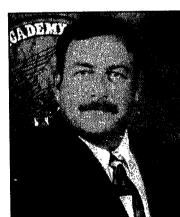
Tom Burleson this week announced his candidacy for the office of Hancock County Sheriff.

Burleson started his professional law enforcement career with the Hancock Sheriff's County Department in 1985 as a part-time road deputy. In early 1986 the Bay Saint Louis Police Department hired him for their patrol division.

Working through the ranks of the Bay Saint Louis Police Department, Burleson gained on the job experience in patrol, narcotics and general investigations. He currently serves as Chief of Detectives, a supervisory position which he has held for the past 12 years.

"After my police certification, received from the Jackson Police Academy in 1987," he said, "I have used every opportunity to attend additional law enforcement related advanced education and training. I am the first Bay Saint Louis police officer to attend and graduate from the Federal Bureau of National Investigation Academy in Quantico, Virginia, in 2002, with a study emphasis in administration and budget management."

Certified with National Rifle Association



Burleson

as a firearms instructor in 1988, he became and continues to be the firearms instructor for the Bay Saint Louis Police Department. In addition, he is a member of the Regional Organized Crime Information Center. Nashville, Tennessee.

"Following graduation from Saint Stanislaus," he said, "I married my high school sweatheart. Beth Wilkerson, and we have two children. Our son, T. J., is a USM senior and our daughter, Patricia, attends Bay High School.

"Beth and I love Hancock County. It is our home by We have been choice. involved with our church, our children's schools, civic and patriotic organizations, and our jobs, all to keep our community special.

"It is my goal to keep

Hancock County moving responsibly always with an forward in this new century, eye toward the future that I can provide as Hancock using the latest in training

"Serving as Hancock with the tried and true methods of good police work County's Sheriff is a lifetime, professional goal, and to keep us on the cutting one I have worked towards edge of law enforcement. and prepared for during the protecting our citizens, their property and our investpast eighteen years. I will serve and represent our ments in this county safe. county with integrity, pro-Preparation for the future is a daily task and you need fessionalism and pride. It is what YOU deserve."

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Stone to address family, alcoholism and drugs

THE SEA COAST ECHO James Stone, National Field Representative of the Freedom \mathbf{of} Ministries in New Orleans, Louisiana, will present a special program on family alcoholism and drugs at the First United Pentecostal

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Church of Waveland. The Spirit of Freedom Ministries will be introducing a new approach to family alcoholism and drugs. Stone will also be giving true accounts of men and women who have been delivered from alcoholism and drugs.

This special program obligation or admission charge.

For additional information, call Pastor Frank Kendrick at 601-467-3575.

should be of great interests to those who would like to help anyone with alcohol or drug problems. The program is Sunday morning, March 30 at the First United Pentecostal Church of Waveland corner Old Spanish Trail and Arnold St. The church is located at 1804 Arnold Street and the time will be 10:00. The public is invited and there is no

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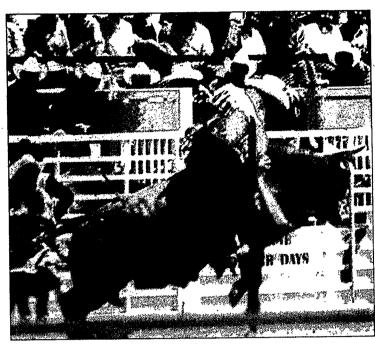
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Tri-state Rodeo comes to Kiln Friday



See the Tri-State Rodeo this Friday and Saturday night at the Hancock County Equine Facility at Kiln.

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER **Staff Writer**

The Hancock County Equine Facility Livestock Arena in Kiln will host a the Tri-State Rodeo on Friday and Saturday night, March 28 and 29.

Events will begin each night at 8 p.m.

Cowboys and cowgirls from across the Southeast

will compete for big money prizes in events that include, calf roping, team roping, barrel racing, bareback riding, and bull riding, with slack after the main show.

"With the number of competitors we have, it could be

a late evening," said facility Wade Ladner. director Winners will be announced after Saturday night's slack session.

The notorious bucking bull, Kryptonite, owned by MC Merritt of Louisiana, will be featured in the bull riding event.

bought For more information, Kryptonite as a 600 pound call 228-216-4644 calf at a stock sale in Baton Rouge. Also

Merritt

known as bull #50, he stars in 25 rodeos and bull riding events every year and is legendary for blowing hard, right out of the gate and bucking hard.

For more information on this and other events at the

arena call Ladner at 228-216-4644. Upcoming events for April include the Picayunne Riding Club Horse Show, Ms. Maverick's Dog Agility Trials and Hancock's A.Q.H.A. Horse



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Paul Anka brings five decades of music to BSL

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Paul Anka brings five decades of musical magic to Casino Magic Bay St. Louis Friday, May 2 at 9 p.m. Tickets are \$29.95, \$34.95, and \$39.95 and are available at Casino Magic Box Office or at any Ticketmaster loca-

Beginning his career by entering amateur contests and sneaking into clubs, Paul Anka has gone on to become one of the greatest songwriters in history. He has achieved unprecedented success in every venue: stage, screen, television, and recording.

His musical compositions are internationally known and have been recorded by the greatest names in the entertainment industry. He recently set a milestone by being one of only a few artists in history to have a record on Billboard's Top 50 charts for five consecutive decades.

Anka has also been named the 21st most successful artist in Billboard,s history and received the honor of being named one of Billboard Magazine's most successful artists in history, putting him alongside music greats Elvis Presley and the Beatles.

Since the inception of his career, Anka's songs have been performed well over 90 million times worldwide; and his LP and single sales collectively number more than 42 million. With well over 900 songs to his credit, Anka's most memorable are "Put Your Head On My Shoulder", "My Way" and the famous theme

from "The Tonight Show Starring Johnny Carson."

Anka's contributions to the entertainment industry have earned him numerous awards and special recogni-

In addition to performing for heads of state, he has been honored by the French government, who awarded him the title: Chevalier In

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Paul Anka

The Order of Arts and Letters. He is among only a handful of Americans to receive this prestigious award. Recently, Academy National Popular Music elected Anka across the nation and on the into The Songwriter's Hall Of Fame.

An indication of his versatility shows in his most beloved song "My Way." It has been recorded not only by the likes of Elvis Presley, but also, Sid Vicious, and most notably, Frank Sinatra, who the song was written

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recording Anka's songs is an honor role of some of the most talented artists of all time: Sinatra, Presley. Barbara Streisand, Buddy Holly, Tom Jones, and the Doobie Brothers.

Anka launched his career at the age of sixteen with "Diana, with sales totaling over 20 million copies worldwide. Before he turned 18, Anka had five Top-20 hits and became a household name with songs like "You Are My Destiny", "Lonely Boy" and "Puppy Love."

In the '70s, Anka ushered in another wave of chart-topping hits: "(You're) Having My Baby", "I Don,t Like To Sleep Alone" and "One-Man Woman." His success continthe ues today with the release of of new albums and touring

international stage. Don't miss Paul Anka at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis on Friday, May 2. Must be 21 to attend.



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WMD (Weapons of Mass Destruction) Hazardous Material Technician Training Course is a 3-day in-depth training course in composition, action, identification and decontamination of WMD agents that have the potential for use in a terrorist incident. This course includes training in preservation of evidence at a crime scene, an overview of the international and domestic terrorist threat, and a series of practical exercises involving WMD detection, identification and protective equipment and techniques for operating at tions and actions of com-

al efforts of our Fire a WMD terrorist incident.

This training course culminates with a multi-task, hands-on training exercise in the WMD (toxic Agent) Chemical Ordnance/Explosives Biological, Radiological (COBRA) Training Facility.

Bay St. Louis firefighters attending this training include Rusty Shoultz, Bill Bourgeois, Eddie Russell, Martin Pavolini, Strong, Stanley Monty Necaise, and Shawn Self. Scheduled to attend is Brian Sellier. Each firefighter met the pre-requisite training having successfully met the competencies outlined in OSHA and NFPA for HAZMAT Technicians.

The WMD Incident Command Training Course was also 3-days of in-depth training that took the student through the entire spectrum of command of a WMD terrorist event The course provides instruction of WMD, the incident command system coupled with the Federal response, and examines the complexities of operational considera-

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Attending WMD Incident Command training have Captain Rodney Auguzin and firefighters Strong, Monty Rusty Shoultz, Bill Russell and Martin Pavolini. Scheduled to attend are Chief Robert Gavagnie, Captain Pam San Fillippo and firefighters Shawn Self and Brian Continued from Page 1A

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Several paving projects are slated for the airport, including the expansion of the main apron all the way to the taxiway. This will allow large craft to just pull on to the apron and park, said Airport manager Bill Cotter. Also on the table is the paving of Road A, from Road D to the runway, an

overhaul of the terminal parking area and new lighting on the apron and by the

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 Commissioners voted to approve a contract with Mardi Gras Air pending attorney approval. The New Orleans based company will provided FBO and maintenance services at the air-

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cal attack, said Adam. Around Hancock County the best action people can take is to be aware, he said.

"If you see anything suspicious call the sheriff's department or local police,

Adam said. "And don't be afraid of reporting anything that doesn't look right."

Members of the local National Guard Unit have already been deployed to Port Bienville to maintain the medical center.

security.

This morning local emergency workers and medical personnel began receiving small pox vaccinations at

DMR joins local, state agencies in hosting Clean Marina workshop

Department of Marine Resources (DMR), along with local and state agencies, is hosting a Clean Marina Workshop for marina owners and operators on April 2, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m., at Pelican Landing in Moss Point. This free workshop is the first step in developing a Clean Marina Program for Mississippi and Alabama.

The workshop will introduce marina owners to a bistate Clean

Marina Program under development and will dis-cuss how marinas can Price, DMR Clean Vessel receive financial assistance to improve their operations. The bi-state clean marina program in Mississippi and Alabama will encourage marinas to seek the "clean marina" designation, which means they must meet certain criteria aimed at improving water quality and pollution prevention at their sites.

Marina owners interested in the program will begin

Mississippi keeping a written log of Conservation and Natural their operating practices. The program will work with marinas that fail to meet minimum standards, helping them to incorporate best management practices to achieve "clean marina" status. There are currently 10 clean marina programs in the nation, including programs in Texas, Florida and the Tennessee Valley area.

"By partnering with other agencies, we hope to bring the Clean Marina Program to Mississippi and Act Coordinator. "We will work together with marina owners to have the cleanest marinas possible in the bistate area."

Clean Marina Program steering committee repreinclude the sentatives Mississippi Department of Marine Resources; Hancock Board \mathbf{of} County Supervisors; Biloxi Port Commission; Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant; Alabama a self-audit of their marina, Alabama Department of

Resources, Division; Resources Dauphin Island Sea Lab; National Mobile Bay Estuary Program; Alabama Department Environmental Management; Auburn Marine Extension and Research Center; U.S. Coast Guard: Alabama Coastal Foundation; and Alabama Gulf Coast Convention and

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To register for this free workshop, call (228) 818-Mississippi \mathbf{The} Department of Marine Resources is dedicated to enhancing, protecting and conserving marine interests of the State by managing all marine life, public trust wetlands, adjacent uplands and waterfront areas to provide for the optimal commercial, recreational, educational and economic uses of these resources consistent with environmental concerns and social changes. Visit the DMR online at

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You must be living in your home on or before January 1, 2003 to qualify for homestead exemption. The property must be your primary residence in order to qualify.

The following information is needed to file your application.

- A) Warranty deed
- B) Cost of property
- C) Down payment amount
- D) License plate numbers for vehicles registered in Hancock County. (All vehicles owned must be registered in Hancock county)
- E) If you are over 65 proof of age
- F) If you are receiving 100% disability benefits proof of your dis-
- G) Is any part of the property rented?

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- B) You became 100% disabled on or before January 1, 2,003. C) You acquired a new residence.
- D) You acquired additional property that adjoins your home-
- E) Your marital status changed (divorced, windowed, separated

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StennisAstro Camp has upcoming session

Spaces are filling fast for also the spring 2003 Astro Camp Saturday session April 12 at StenniSphere, the awardwinning visitor center at Stennis Space Center, America's largest rocket test complex. The camps are held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. one Saturday each month during the school year.

The upcoming session will show campers how the Space Shuttle is flown using a shuttle cockpit virtual simulator. Campers will

enjoy interactive exhibits in the museum.

The cost is \$50, which includes lunch and all supplies. Lunch is provided by the 1960s-style diner, the RocKeTeria. Attendance is limited to

the first 25 campers who register. For more information or to register, call (228) 688-2370 or 1-800-237-1821 (Option 1) or go to www.ssc.nasa.gov/public/vis itors and choose the Astro Camp Saturday link.

Obituaries

MELTON CUEVAS DONALD DORE JR. THOMAS ETHRIDGE JESSE LAFONTAINE MACK MCDONALD JOYCE MERCER **HELENE MORAN** MARY LEE PETERS **ROBIN PETERSON** JAMES SWILLEY DENNY TAYLOR **CLYDE THOMAS** STONE WARE III B.D. WINDHAM JR.

MELTON CUEVAS Melton J. "Fattie" Cuevas, 68, died Monday, March 24, 2003, in Gulfport.

Mr. Cuevas was a native of Gulfport and a lifelong resident of Lizana. He served in the U.S. Army in Korea and was a welder for Irby Steel. He was a member of Lizana Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Renelder and Mable Cuevas; and a brother, Jimmy Cuevas.

Survivors include his wife, Lorena L. Cuevas of Gulfport; a son, Christopher Sean Cuevas of Gulfport; three daughters, Michele Dobbs of Wiggins, Kimberly Cuevas of D'Iberville and Yvette Emore of Gulfport; two stepsons, Kim Cuevas of Diamondhead and Douglas Cuevas of Kiln; three brothers, Curvis Cuevas and Earl Cuevas, both of Gulfport, and Nelson Cuevas of Kentucky; three sisters, Beulah Wilson of Gulfport, Betty Ladner of Pass Christian and Marie Cuevas of Gulfport; and nine grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. today at Riemann Memorial Funeral Home Hwy. 49 in Gulfport. Burial will be in Wolf Creek Baptist Church Cemetery in Hancock County.

DONALD DORE JR.

Dr. Donald Edward Doré, Jr., 72, died Saturday, March 22, 2003, at Singing Hospital River Pascagoula.

Dr. Doré was born April 28, 1930 in New Orleans and has been a resident of Pascagoula since 1965. He attended Central High School in Jackson, MS and served in the U.S. Navy. He attended Tulane University and Louisiana State University as an undergraduate where he was a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity. He graduated from L.S.U. School of Medicine in 1956 and completed his residency at Charity Hospital in New Orleans. Dr. Doré became member of the American Board of Pathology in 1963 and elected Fellow of American \mathbf{of} College Pathologists in Oct. 1967. Dr. Doré played a vital part in establishing the Lab Department of Singing River Hospital in the midsixties. He served as LCDR, M.C., USNR in Charleston South Carolina for two years. He served as Pathologist at University Medical Center of Georgia in Macon from 1964-1965. Dr. Doré served as Pathologist at Singing River Hospital from June 1965 to March 2003. He served as chief of staff at Singing River Hospital in the early seventies. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Pascagoula.

He was preceded in death by Donald Edward Doré Sr. and Lena Mai Miller Doré; sister, Leumel Marguerite Doré Doland.

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Survivors include his wife of 38 years, Miriam Kathleen "Kathy" Hudson Doré of Pascagoula; two daughters and one son, Kitty Kristine Doré Boland (John) of Mobile, Ala., Melissa Leumel Doré of Mobile, Ala. and Donald Edward Doré III (Liz) of Pass Christian; three grandchildren, Lillian Kathleen Boland, John Oliver Boland, and Rosemary Olivia Boland, all of Mobile, Ala.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at O'Bryant-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Pascagoula with Rev. Dennis Ray Smith officiating. Active Pallbearers will be Dr. Dennis Magee, Bobby Laney, Gary Holand, Dr. Sid Eudy, Dr. Paul Moore Sr., and Robert Lingle. Burial will be in Machpelah Cemetery in Pascagoula.

Memorials may be made to Singing River Charitable Foundation/ Hospice of Light Patient Fund, 2101 Hwy 90, Gautier, MS 39553.

THOMAS ETHRIDGE

Thomas E. Ethridge, 78, died Saturday, March 22, 2003 in Biloxi.

Mr. Ethridge was a native of Meridian and a longtime resident of the Gulf Coast. He retired after twenty years of service from the U.S. Air Force where he was in charge of the Sentry Dog Section and he was also a fireman at NASA.

He was preceded in death by a son, Randy Ethridge. He is survived by two

daughters, Mary Ethridge Jones and her husband, Colin of Long Beach and Sherry Ethridge Powell of Bay St. Louis; and six Chris grandchildren, Ethridge, Aaron Ethridge, Katie Powell, Brett Powell, Meredith Jones, and Preston Jones.

A graveside service was held Monday at Biloxi National Cemetery in Biloxi. The family prefers memorials to the Humane Society of South MS, 13756 Avenue, Washington Gulfport, MS 39503.

Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Gulfport was in charge of arrange-

JESSE LAFONTAINE Jesse LaFontaine Jr., 81,

died Saturday, March 23, 2003, in Metairie, La.

Mr. LaFontaine was a native of Lakeshore before moving to River Ridge. He was a retired sergeant of the U.S. Army and served in World War II. He was a member of St. Matthews Catholic Church in River Ridge and the American Legion Post No. 135 in Bay St. Louis.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse F. LaFontaine Sr. and Cecile L. LaFontaine; two brothers, Floyd S. and Lewis LaFontaine; and three sisters, Thelma LaFontaine, Thersa Young and Elsie LaFontaine.

Survivors include his wife, Bertha M. LaFontaine of River Ridge; two sons, Steve J. LaFontaine of Garfield, Ark., and Clifton M. Green of River Ridge; and one grandchild.

held Services were Tuesday at St. Johns Church Catholic Lakeshore. Burial was in Bayou Caddy Cemetery in Lakeshore.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis was in charge of arrangements.

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MACK MCDONALD Monday, March 24, 2003, in

Gulfport. Mr. McDonald was a native of Leakesville and a longtime resident Gulfport. He was a retired heavy equipment operator for Williams Paving Co. He was of the Baptist faith.

He was preceded in death by Ervin L. and and Ava McDonald; and a sister, Mary O. McDonald.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth McDonald of Gulfport; a son, Ronnie Wayne Ladner of Biloxi; four daughters, Penny A. McBride of Saucier, Janelle A. McDonald of Pass Christian, Victoria R. Tisdale and Jessica M. McDonald, both of Gulfport; two sisters, Margie Lou Lunsford and Maxine E. Holder, both of Leakesville; and five grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 10 to 11 a.m. today at Riemann Memorial Funeral Home Hwy. 49 in Gulfport. Services will be at 11:30 a.m. in Finley Cemetery.

JOYCE MERCER

Joyce Mercer, 64, died Thursday, March 20, 2003, in Waveland.

Ms. Mercer was a native of Waveland, originally from Odenton, MD., and a member of Saint Rock Methodist Church in Waveland.

Survivors include four sons, Hilliard Mercer of South Carolina, Jimmy Lee Mercer of Waveland, Charles Mercer of Boston and David Mercer of Oklahoma; four daughters, Joanne Williams and Royanne Mercer, both of Pass Christian, and Joyce M. James and Deborah L. both Heildberg, Waveland; two sisters, Sedonia Lemay of Waveland and Minnie Butler of New Orleans; 15 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday at Little Zion Baptist Church. Services will be at 11 a.m. at the church. Burial will be in Waveland Cemetery.

Baylous Funeral Home in Picayune is in charge of arrangements.



HELENE MORAN

Helene Mary LaFontaine Moran, 57, died Tuesday, March 25, 2003, in Slidell,

She was a native of Vincennes, France, and a lifelong resident of Bay St. Louis. She was of the Catholic faith and a member of Our Lady of The Gulf Catholic Church and a member of Our Lady Queen of Peace Prayer Group, Bay St. Louis. She was a Faithful Servant of Christ. She was employed as Chief Deputy Tax Assessor of 1964 graduate of St. Joseph Academy, Bay St. Louis. Helene was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and

She was preceded in death by her parents, Hugette Milton and Cusiniot LaFontaine.

Survivors include her Mack McDonald, 66, died husband, Donald E. Moran of Bay St. Louis; a son, Kenny Moran and wife Gina of Pass Christian; two daughters, Donna Corr and husband Mark of Bay St. Louis and Melissa Morel and husband Michael of Bay St. Louis; three brothers, Al LaFontaine of Long Beach and Steve and Henry LaFontaine, both of Bay St. Louis; four sisters, Peggy Averhart of Pass Christian, Denise Mikovilje of Kiln, Michele Henry of Pass Christian and Lorraine

Visitation will be held today from 1:30 p.m. until 3 p.m., with Recitation of the Rosary at 3 p.m. at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis.

Ladner of Pearlington; and

six grandchildren, Daniel

and Garret Moran, Nathan,

Heath and Hunter Corr, and

Kristen Morel.

The Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 3:15 p.m. at the church. Burial will follow in St. Mary's Cemetery in Bay St. Louis. Edmond Fahey Funeral

Home in Bay St. Louis is in

charge of the arrangements. The family prefers donations to University of Florida Foundation Fund #00245, P.O. Box 103560, Gainesville, Fla. 32610-3560 in the Memory of Helene Moran.

MARY LEE PETERS

Mrs. Mary Lee Peters, 89, of Picayune, Ms., died Friday, March 21, 2003, in Bay St. Louis.

Mrs Peters was a native of Hammond, La. She was a memeber of the Pilgrim Bound Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son Bobbie Peters of Maryland, 2 granddaughters, a great granddaughter and 1 great grandson.

Visitation will be held Friday, March 28, 2003 from 5-6 p.m. at Baylous Funeral Home in Picayune.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 29, 2003 at 11:00 a.m. in Pilgrim Bound Baptist Church. Burial to follow in the Picauyune Cemetery.

The Rev. Delbert Hall will officiate at the service. Baylous Funeral Home in Picayune is in charge of arrangements.

ROBIN PETERSON Robin Marie Peterson,

43, died Tuesday, March 25, 2003, in Gulfport. Mrs. Peterson was a

native and lifelong resident of Bay St. Louis. She was of the Catholic faith. She was preceded in

death by a daughter, Grace Maurine Peterson, and her parents, Donald and Grace Curet Maurigi. Survivors include her

Lawrence husband, Peterson Jr.; two sons, Lawrence "L.J." Peterson III and Miles A. Peterson; one daughter, Lisa Renee Peterson, all of Bay St. Louis; and two sisters, Patti Fucich, Maurigi Marianne Maurigi Bordelon, both of Watson,

Visitation will be held Friday, March 28, from 10 a.m. to noon at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. Interment will follow at Bayou CoCo Cemetery in Kiln.

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JAMES SWILLEY

James H. Swilley, 68, and a resident of Pass Christian, died Friday, March 21, 2003, in Gulfport.

Mr. Swilley was a native and lifelong resident of Pass Christian. He attended school in Pass Christian. He was self-employed as a truck driver. He was a Baptist.

Mr. Swilley was preceded in death by his parents, Jessie and Onelia Chappell Swilley; and brother, Leo Swilley.

He is survived by his wife, Wanda C. Swilley of Pass Christian; four sons, Kevin D. of Kiln, Ronnie Swilley of Pass Christian, Bruce Swilley Sr. of Pass Christian and Wayne Swilley of Pass Christian; a

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Award winners

Members of the Mississippi Beach Chapter of the Public Relations of Association from left to right are: Chance McDavid, Christopher Rolley, Robert Collins, Terry Hines Smith, Shella White, Tracy Heggin, Lea Ivey Stone, and Paul Maxwell. The group attended the PRAM State Conference held in Starkville March 6-7.

Coast group wins PRism awards at state conference

Mississippi Beach Chapter of the Public Relations Association of Mississippi walked away from the organization's state conference March 7, in Starkville, with an impressive nine PRism Awards, three Awards of Excellence, and seven Certificates of Achievement for a total of 19 awards.

The chapter was also honored to have member Shelia White, director of marketing, public relations, and recruitment at the University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Coast selected as the statewide winner for the prestigious Professional Achievement Award. This top award recognizes professionalism and an individual's efforts to enhance the role of the public relations practitioner.

White was submitted by the chapter to the statelevel competition after winning the chapter-level "Rex Professional Kelly Achievement Award." The PRism Awards recognize public relations excellence in the state of Mississippi and were judged by a public relations firm in Memphis. Winning projects were selected from more than 150 entries. Winners in the 2003 competition from the Mississippi Beach Chapter

Christian Reese, Casino Magic Bay St. Louis · Prism Award: Special Public Relations Program-Long Term, Over \$10,000, for Hotel Opening · Prism Award: Invitation Produced Externally for Ray Charles Invitation.

Terry Hines Smith, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Gulf of Mexico Program · Prism Award: Special Public Relations

the \$10,000, for the One Take a Test Drive. Community Gulf?One Campaign · Prism Award: Public Affairs Campaign-Short Term for WWL Radio Interview · Prism Award: Special Video Production, Over \$5,000 for One Gulf Community Video One Release Series \mathbf{News} of Excellence: Award Special Public Relations Program-Long Term, Over \$10,000, for Gulf Guardian Awards.

Shelia White, Catherine Sliman, and Christopher Rolley, USM Gulf Coast · Certificate of Achievement: Special Public Relations Program-Long Term, Over \$10,000, for First Time Freshman Campaign.

Shelia White, Wiesenburg and Christopher Rolley, USM Gulf Coast Certificate of Funds Website Launch Achievement: Community Commercial. Relations Program-Long Term for Bricks To Books The Pathway to Knowledge.

Christopher Rolley and Shelia White, USM Gulf Coast Prism Award: \mathbf{Events} and Special Observances-Short Term for USMGC Moves Into State of the Art Library.

Christopher Rolley, USM Gulf Coast · Award of Excellence: Feature Story or Series for USMGC Students Win Big In Classic Culinary Certificate of Achievement: News Story or Series for USMGC Moves Into State of the Art Library · Certificate of Achievement: Feature Story or Series for Coast Teachers Write in New Orleans · Certificate of Achievement: Photography, Color, for Writing on the Banks of the Mississippi.

Catherine Sliman, USM Gulf Coast · Certificate of Achievement: Program-Long Term, Over Advertising, Over \$5,000 for

Casino Magic wins American Ad awards

Marketing Department recently won three Silver Addy Awards at American local Advertising Federation's competition. The awards were for: 1) An outer market direct mail piece for the new hotel opening 2) spa brochure and 3) special event, ribbon cutting invita-

Additionally, the casino's ad agency won two silver awards for the Spa at the Bay and Jourdan River Grille logos and a Gold Addy for Tuscany Steaks and Seafood logo design.

In the 2003 Public Relations Association of Mississippi PRism Awards, the casino's Marketing Department won a PRism Award for a Special Public Relations Program (Long Term) for their Bay Tower Hotel opening, and a Prism

The Casino Magic Bay St. Award for their Ray Charles special event invitation, produced externally.

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ATK Thiokol and Boeing Rocketdyne are leading the Propulsion Test Services (PTS) team that also includes Allied Aerospace, Tullahoma. Tenn.;

Advanced Federal, Madison, Ala.; All Points Logistics, Gainesville, Ga.; and GB Tech, Houston, Tex. All six companies are experienced NASA contractors and bring related rocket propulsion and services contracting experience to the TOC. The PTS team is prepared to partner with NASA Stennis to help it become the world's rocket propulsion test center of excellence. Dave Geiger, currently

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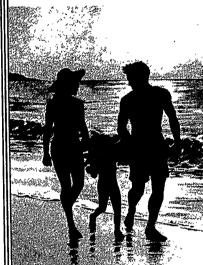
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BayArts recognizes local art supporters

Hancock Medical, Bay-Waveland School District and library system among recognized

ayArts 2003 recognized several institutions and individuals for their continued support of the an and artists of the Bay Saint Louis community. The event was the first in a series of art events being held throughout the month of March.

The city recognized the Hancock County Medical Center Foundation for its continued support of arts through its acquisitions program.

The medical center currently has the largest tee exhibit of visual arts available for view by the public throughout its reception rooms, waiting rooms and corridors.

The center's current projects include a more mosaic mural to be created by local artist Elizabeth Veglia, funded in part by a grant from the Mississippi Arts Commission and work by a second local artist, John McDonald, the tide of which is still being determined. Acquisitions are under the guidance of the medical center's director of marketing, McQueen. Accepting the award were foundation president Ellis Cuevas and hospital director Hal-Leftwich.

tive director of the Hancock County Library, accepted the award for the Hancock County Library System for not only its support of local artists through acquisitions and exhibits, including the outkind in Mississippi, but local artists. also for its continuing educational efforts and active BayArts 2003 were also support for the newly recognized and included

formed Hancock County Art Association.

To support BayArts 2003 the library co-hosted, with the city, the first student/teacher invitational exhibit featuring the works of students and teachers from Pascagoula to the Kiln.

Stasney, Dr. Kim Superintendent Education for the Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District, accepted the final award, recognizing the continuing efforts of the district to fund arts programs going against the nationwide trend of reducing programs.

Teachers from North Bay and Second Street Elementary Schools are participating in a leaching the teacher" program with the city's Bay Clay Studio to more fully develop the implementation of the whole school project promoted by the Mississippi Arts Commission.

Also recognized during the reception were Coast Chorale musical director, Joy Mehrtens, in appreciation of the Chorale's representation of Bay Saint Louis during its recent performance at Carnegie Hall and abroad during the last several years.

Artist and local busi-Prima Plauche, execu- nesswoman Gwen Impson was recognized by the city for her Herculean efforts to organize the hundreds of artists in the Hancock County area into a viable group whose members assist each other and their communities standing Richmond Barthe together to promote the exhibit the only one of its arts and the income of

Faculty artists for

Vicky Niolet, Dr. Victoria Tackett, Kat Fitzpatrick, Yager, Kathe Sory Calhoun, Talle Johnson, Sandra Russell Clark, Impson and Gwen Veglia. Elizabeth Councilman James C. Thriffiley III, representing the city's Old Town gallery district, presented the awards.

The artist reception was co-hosted by the city of Bay St. Louis and the Hancock County Library Foundation. Mike Cuevas, director of Cultural Affairs was the event organizer.



(From left) Ellis Cuevas, Hal Leftwich and and James Thriffiley III



Prima Plauche and James Thriffiley III



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Gwen Impson and James Thriffiley III

Obits

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brother, Elroy Swilley of Pass Christian; a sister. Betty Swilley of Kiln; and 10 grandchildren.

The family requests that friends and family should donate to one's favorite charity.

Riemann Funeral Home 25th Avenue in Gulfport is in charge of arrangements.

DENNY TAYLOR

Denny Robert Taylor, 73 died Friday, March 21, 2003, in Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Taylor was a native of Biloxi and was a lifelong resident of the Coast. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and a cook. Mr. Taylor was a Christian.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ethel McDowell and Neal Taylor; and two brothers, L. V. Taylor and Roy Lee Ainsworth.

Survivors include his sister, Veda Bellew of Long Beach.

Services were held Monday in Biloxi National

Cemetery.

Howard Avenue Chapel Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Homes in Biloxi was in charge of arrangements.

CLYDE THOMAS

Clyde John Thomas, 67, died Friday, March 21, 2003, in Biloxi.

Services are pending at Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Gulfport.

STONE WARE III

Stone Ware III, 70, of Biloxi, died Monday, March 24, 2003 in New Orleans.

Mr. Ware was a native of New Orleans, La. Graduate of Jesuit High School. He was a Salesman and resident of Biloxi since 1976. A U.S. Army Veteran of Korean War. Member of the Catholic Faith and a member of Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church in Biloxi,

He was preceded in death by his parents, John Stone and Tommie Ware Jr.

Survivors include a son, Stoney Ware IV of River Ridge, La. a daughter, Cindy Ware Atkins of Shreveport, La. a brother, David Ware of Bakersfield, Ca. and 3 grandchildren.

Visitation will be held Friday, March 28, 2003 from 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. at Riemann Funeral Home, Pass Christian, Ms.

Funeral Services will be held Friday, March 28 at 2:00 p.m. at Riemann Funeral Home, Pass Christian, Ms.

Burial will follow at Live Oak Cemetery in Pass Christian, Ms. Family prefers memorials to: American Cancer society, 417 Security Square, Gulfport, Ms. 39507

B.D. WINDHAM, JR.

B.D. "Bubba" Windham, Jr., 76, died Tuesday, March 25, 2003 in Clermont Harbor, Ms.

Mr. Windham was a native of Rayville, La. and a resident of Greenwell Springs, La. He was of Baptist Faith. He was a member of the Rotary and the Louisiana Lions Club in Grand Isle, La.

He was preceded in death by his parents Buell Delma & Ola Brice Windham, Sr.; 2 sisters Louise Roznowski and Pat Horn.

Survivors include a son, Bill "Delma" Windham, III of Baton Rouge, La., 2 Sharon daughters, Windham Bennett of Greenwell Springs, La. and Tobbie Windham Vavasseur of Zachary, La.; a sister, Dinkins Wanda Shreveport, La., 7 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

A Memorial Service will be held at a later date.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis, Ms. is in charge of the arrange



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With seven colors available, almost any color scheme can be accommodated. Try Superbena dark blue with orange companions like Profusion Orange zinnia, marigolds Samson lantana.

GARDENING--PAGE 4B

BY SHANNON JENKINS Staff Writer

very so often tourist wanders into quaint, dark teal cottage on Court Street in search of a cup of coffee.

Inside, the visitor finds books and artwork lining the walls while tables and a couch provide a casual setting for conversation.

Behind the counter, the pleasant woman

with a smile that suggests "I know without a she has known her guest for the last 10 years. Typically, her

English accent encourages conversation, and the tourist soon becomes another vet admirer of La Coffee Café. Although

many visitors have found their way to the charming coffee owner shop,

Valorie Bowen said mostly back to the coffee shop locals frequent the cafe. Those are the customers the Worcester, England native wanted all along.

Every morning between 7 and 9 a.m., the early core group fills the shop "to have coffee and chat for about an hour or so." This group consists mostly of retirees and older business

Ed Young, who owns Bon Temps Roulé with his wife, Sylvia, has been coming to the shop every morn-

ing since it opened. "I enjoy the coffee and the people who go there," he said. "There's a lot of nice people there from all walks of life. We talk about everything from sports to current events to local happenings."

After 9 a.m., the coffee house conversations continue with the rest of visitor to Old Town finds a Bowen's core group - local artists and people without set

here. This is a

be running it."

Valorie Bowen,

work schedules. Photographer shadow of a doubt Sandra Russell Clark has been I was meant to be visiting the café every morning since she moved to Bay St. Louis blessed place, and four years ago. I feel privileged to

always have to escape for breakfast because I work at home," she said. "That's my social time for Owner of La Coffee Cafe the day." Clark said she

coming

because Bowen was so friendly and because a lot of her friends go there to chat. "We have conversations

kept

about art, politics and religion," Clark "Nothing's barred. We don't always see eye-to-eye on things, but we respect each other's opinions."

COFFEE--PAGE 4B

Welcome to



Echo staff photos by Shannon Jenkins Valorie Bowen, above, plans to make her establishment, La Coffee Café, the community coffee shop in Bay St. Louis by providing a place for coffee, conversation and activities.



(Above) Lynn Cucullu, seated on couch, talks with fellow coffee shop regulars Kurt Lange, center, and Irwin Cucullu. (Right) Donald Vaughn, left, and Ellis Anderson take advantage of La Coffee Cafe's porch for their cups of coffee and conversation.



1963 - Suit filed by Glass, Martinolich, Argus to redistrict supervisor districts

TEN YEARS AGO ebruary 18, 1993 -Applause resound-ed through Bay St. Louis City Hall Tuesday following the acceptance of a \$206.159 bid for the lighting of Highway 90. Clerk of Council Mike Cuevas said, "The city began work on this project more than two years ago." Planned for Highway 90 are 87 to 88 fiber glass poles with twin 250-watt high pressure sodium lights, stretching from city limit to city limit. Moines from federal aid urban assistance funds will pay 80% of the tab, leaving Bay St. Louis with a \$47,220 to pay in construc-

tion costs Sun Country's Boeing 727 made the first charter

Tuesday carrying 155 people from Houston to spend the day gambling at Casino Magic. The flight was greeted by Casino Magic employees and Hancock County officials along with a twoman band.

TWENTY YEARS AGO February 13, 1983 - Four

parades set to roll. The Mardi Gras season in Hancock County and pass Christian is winding up this week with four annual Noonan, Jr. as parade capparades. St. Paul Carnival tain, says Lana Noonan, a Association's parade in Pass Christian is set for 2 p.m. today. The Krewe of Kids will begin its 2 p.m. at St. Rose de Lima parade Monday at North Catholic Church con Dunbar King and queen Lonnie Bradley is king.



parade organizer. The Krewe of Real People will begin its parade at 11 a.m. flight into Stennis Trent Favre and Harper and Charles Johnson is aries in Hancock County International Airport Langston with Allan grand marshal of the third violate the Code of

annual event. The Krewe of Triton will begin its ninth annual event at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Our Shopping Center, Waveland, travel Highway 90 to Bay St. Louis Mall at the intersection of Dunbar, where it will disband on Mardi Gras Day. King Triton IX is Robert G. (Bob) Hubbard, III and Queen Amphitrite I, Ms. Barbara A. Rappold.

FORTY YEARS AGO

February 14, 1963 - Suit to change the beat boundaries of Hancock County was filed in Chancery Court vesterday by three county voters, Powell Glass parade Monday at North Catholic Church on Jr., Dr. A.K. Martinolich, Bay Elementary School on Tuesday, Mardi Gras Day. Jr., and Wilbert L. Argus. The complainants claim for this year's event are Deidre Bradley is queen, the present district bound-Trent Favre and Harper and Charles Johnson is aries in Hancock County by law."

Mississippi, Constitution of Mississippi and the Constitution of the United States. In the Hancock County suit the complainants allege that District Five, comprising the county's only two municipalities as well as its two largest unincorporated communities has approximately twice the population of the four other districts and pays more than twice in taxes, and asks the Chancery Court prohibit the election commissioners, Dan M. Russell, Jr., Johnson Shaw and J. Roland Weston, from holding an election except on an at-large basis until the board of supervisors first redistrict the county. "in the manner prescribed

TIME--PAGE 4B

The Sea Coast Beho SPORTS

Hancock Lady Hawks blank Hattiesburg 11-0 in softball

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II Staff Writer

Tha Hancock Lady Hawks dropped a contest to undefeated Lady Warriors (13-0) of Oak Grove 10-2 on Monday, March 24; however, they rebounded on Tuesday and spanked Hattiesburg 11-0 in Kiln.

Lady Warriors The jumped out on the Lady Hawks 7-1 by the fifth inning keyed by a three-run dinger from Amanda Jones in the second inning.

The Lady Warriors added a run in the sixth inning and two more in the seventh inning. Jones added two more RBIs on a sacrifice fly in the Lady Warriors last at-bat.

bottom of the sixth inning Michael Mayes walked to

an RBI triple to make the score 8-2. But, that was as close as the Lady Hawks would get.

loss dropped The Hancock to 5-3 overall.

On Tuesday, the Lady Hawks rebounded to blank the Lady Tigers of Hattiesburg 11-0 in the first game of a double-header. Details from the second game were unavailable at press time.

In the first game, Hancock jumped out to an early 1-0 lead in the second inning when Jessica Dubuisson scored on a wild

The Lady Hawks singled each trip to the plate in the top of the fourth inning with The Lady Hawks got a Morgan Necaise, Jennifer little offensive boost in the Ladner, and Katie Sullivan.

when Morgan Necaise hit bat a run in and the score was 2-0.

Dubuisson broke the game wide open for Hancock at the next at-bat with an inside-the-park homerun that scored three runs to make the score 6-0.

Vincent Courtney reached base on a single and was driven in by Morgan Necaise's RBI single to leftfield. Jennifer Ladner knocked in two more runs for Hancock with her single to make the score 9-0 before the inning ended.

Hancock added two more runs in the top of the sixth inning when Dubuisson doubled and Chasity singled home Ladner Dubuisson for the final score.

The win improved the Lady Hawks record to 6-3

Our Lady Academy edited Sumcal 3-2 in high school softball Tuesday The team was down 2-0 in the first and came back for the victory Rachel Waight picked up the win on the mounds Rachel Cuevas. connected for a double and socred a run. Margaret Magers had the game winning hit, Katherine Milner and Hannan Allen

Sullivan pitches no-hitter for Hancock

first game of a doubleheader Tuesday

Pane which was collected

The Hancock Hawks won 11-0 in the nightcap, Hancock won 1540 in 4 dros it game of a doubleheader Tuesday with Jessica Dubuisson picking up. night over Hattiesburg Kate Sullivan dominated the game, pitching a no-hitter with 12 strikeouts for the win. Jessica Swing a hot but with another henceun Dubuisson connected for a double, triple and homerun at the plate. Jennifer Hancock is 2-1 in division games and will host Guifport today, Petal on Saturday.

Bay High wins in tennis

straight time to start the 2003 high school tennis season Tuesday night, tam-ing the Vancleave Bulldogs 3-2. In the boys singles match, Vancieave won 6-7, 6- Jacqueline Foussanon won 6-0, 6-0. 4, 6-1; in girls singles, Lady Tiger Stephanie Reed won 6-1, 6-1, in boys dou- on the road today at 4:30 p.m.

The Bay High Tigers won for the third bles, Chris Magee and Brandon Slade raight time to start the 2003 high won 6-1, 6-1; in girls doubles, Vancleave hool tennis season Tuesday night, tam- won 0-6, 6-1, 6-1; and in mixed doubles. Bay High's Marquez Singleton and The 3-0 Tigers will face East Central



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Speaking of tiny appetites, kids have their own section on the menu and each is given a little.

Speaking of tiny appetites, kids have their own section on the menu and each is given a little stuffed toy – a dolphin, naturally.
Rickey's steaks are melt in your mouth delicious, chargrilled to perfection (you won't find a better steak anywhere!).
If pasta suits your fancy try the Pasta Calina. This is a favorite at Rickey's – the sauce is his grandmother's own red gravy recipe. Tender, delicious meatballs slow simmered in "the sauce" with buttered angelhair pasta and topped with crispy fried eggplant and dusted with

parmesan reggiano. Chef Rickey gives much credit to partner Bill Boyd and to his staff. "I could not do this without them", says Rickey. Rickey's lunch specials, served 11-3 daily, start at only 55.95. Monday night's special is tender baby-back ribs. Hungry yet?

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SPORTS

Tigers in 3-way tie for first with 11-1 over SSC

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II **Staff Writer**

The Bay High Tigers' baseball team scored an 11-1 victory over cross-city and division rival St. Stanislaus on Tuesday. The win improves the Tigers' record to 11-3 overall and a 6-1 mark in Division 8 Class 4A. The win puts the Tigers in the hunt for a division title and a possible berth in the state playoffs. East Central defeated Vancleave 11-1 on Tuesday night which forced a three-way tie for first place in the division standings.

The Tigers will hit the road on Friday evening to tangle with Vancleave in a showdown that could be for a playoff berth. Bay High head coach Mike Weems stated, "This year is shaping up to be identical to last year when it came down to the same three teams for only two spots in the playoffs. Last year, we had trouble finishing. However, we have been focusing and talking about how to finish all year long because we don't want a repeat of last

year." In the game against SSC, the Tigers were firing on all cylinders in their 10-run rule victory. ${f Brandon}$ Strong, a PRCC signee, went 4-for-4 at the plate

4-0. Strong had two singles and scored 39 runs while and in the field. We have 7 a double, and a homerouse allowing from two per game. Over the course of 9 starters batting over the plate. The Tigers per game. Over the course of 300 and Rudy Lymuel is pounded out 11 hits total the past four games, the batting over 400. We are with Rudy Lymuel getting three hits, Justin Cook two hits, and Kyle Sick and Trevor Adam each had one hit. Lymuel, Sick, and Adam all had two RBIs in the game.

Strong started things off in the first with a leadoff single and Adam batted Strong in for the 1-0 lead. SSC tied the game when they scored on an error.

Lymuel put the Tigers up for good with an RBI single that made the score 2-1. Strong batted Lymuel in with a double later in the inning to make the score 3-1 after two innings of play.

Strong struck out the side for Bay High and tallied 10 K's in the game to give him 48 strikeouts on the season. Adam got his hit in the third inning and scored on Justin Cook's stand-up triple to make the score 4-1 after three

Tyler Henry got a hit for record to 3-0. Sick had SSC to lead off the fourth three RBIs in the game. inning but was left stranded as Strong retired the side for Bay High.

with a single to leftfield and Strong followed that with a 370-foot shot in left centerfield to make the score 6-1.

The fifth inning was much of the same for SSC as Andrew Chevis reached base on a walk and was left stranded. Bay High loaded the bases in the bottom of the fifth with three straight bases on balls. Kyle Sick drove in two runs with a single to centerfield. Lymuel tallied his third RBI of the game with an infield single. Strong made the score 10-1 with a RBI single to rightfield.

SSC (3-10, 0-5) was not able to get anything going in the top of the sixth inning and was forced back out into the field. Robbie pitre walked in the bottom of the sixth inning and scored on a throwing error to end the game 11-1.

SSC head coach Will Seymour recalled, "We are young and inexperienced and Bay High has a senior ballclub. They put the ball in play when they had to."

The Tigers, meanwhile, with 4 RBIs and also got the are surging as of late. In win on the mound to the past four games, the improve his season record to Tigers have collected 41 hits sistency both at the plate

> Christian 5-0 and tallied wins of 11-5 against North Forest and 12-0 over Sumrall to win the Poplarville tournament. Aaron Morris got the complete-game win against Pass Christian to improve his record to 3-2. Justin Cook and Robbie Pitre each had two hits while Trevor Adam and Kyle Sick both had two RBIs.

In the North Forest win, B.J. Corr got the complete game win to run his record to 3-1. Pitre and Rudy Lymuel had three hits each while Brandon Strong, Corr, Guy Alleman, and Sick all had 2 hits. Sick had three RBIs. Adam led the way at the plate with three hits in the 12-0 shutout win over Sumrall. Strong, Alleman, Cook, Morris, and Lymuel all had 2 hits. Strong added a 12-strikeout performance

on the mound to improve his

commented, Weems "Pitching has been our strongpoint thus far. We In the bottom of the have received some very fourth, Lymuel got on base strong performances on the mound from Brandon Strong, Aaron Morris, and B.J. Corr. We have been very focused on pitching because if you don't have that then you don't win. Defense has been key to our success after pitching, then hitting, baserunning, and bunting. We are doing well in all five phases of the game."

The **Tigers** Vancleave this weekend in a showdown for Division 8 Class 4A baseball. Weems agreed that the Tigers have put themselves into a very good position with the win over SSC and the timely loss by Vancleave to East Central. The only three losses in the season for Bay High have come in extra innings.

"We have really pushed this team this year. I know that they have outworked other teams. Now, we have to focus on finishing. We need to finish strong. This is something that we talk about before each and every game. We talk about taking it one game at a time and finishing strong. We have some good pitching and con-

getting some solid production from the 6-9 spots in the lineup and that bodes well for any team. We have put ourselves in control of our own destiny." In other recent action,

the Pass Christian Pirates split a pair of games with Long Beach and Stone County. The Pirates beat Long Beach 3-1 and lost to the Tomcats 10-5. Dustin Allen tallied two hits in the first game Garren Bowser and Ryan Davis got two hits each in the second game for the 7-9 Pirates.

The St. Martin Yellow Jackets swept a pair of games from the Hancock Hawks 4-3 and 18-5. On Tuesday evening, Hawks held a slight 2-1 lead over the Gautier Gators before a 6-run fifth inning gave the Gators a 7-2 lead. Final scoring details were unavailable at press time.

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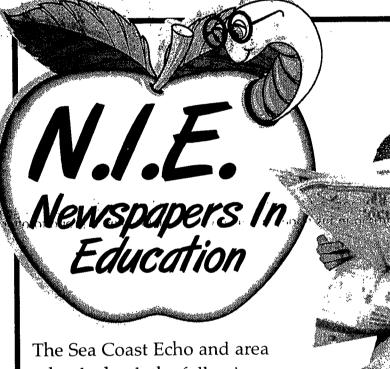
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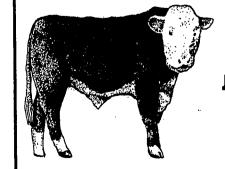
Basketball players named to All-State BY JOSEPH W. GEX II Several area basketball

players were recently hon-ored as All-State Tournament players following the completion of the state high school basketball tournament in Jackson.

Three players from the state 4A girls champion Bay High Lady Tigers were named to theTournament team. Seniors Stephanie Reed Carmen Labat were named sophomore along with Kendra Reed.

Junior guard Brooke Necaise of Hancock High School was chosen from the Lady Hawks. Earlier in the season, Necaise was named a High School All-American by Street and Smith.St. Stanislaus had two athletes named to the team following their second appearance in the Class 4A state semifinals. Senior guard Gabe Willis and junior guard Darius Acker received recognition following the tournament.

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In Washington



A delegation from the American Legion of Mississippi met with Congressman Chip Pickering (R-Miss,3) in his office in Washington, D.C. on Tuesday, March 4. The delegation discussed veterans' issues with Congressman Pickering. Inculded in the visist were R.V. Martin of Jackson, Phyllis Moran of Bay St. Louis, Kathy Dungan of Wesson, Congressman Pickering, Richard Reed of Corinth and Johnny Bracy of Jackson.

Coffee

Matt Molinary, another Bay St. Louis resident, agreed about the café's unique blend of comradery and debate.

"The atmosphere here is comfortable," he said, "but, people definitely are not afraid to share a difference of opinion.'

Molinary, a national artist make-up Prescriptives Cosmetics, also continued his trips to the café because of Bowen and his friends.

"I've met just about everyone I know here," said Molinary, who wandered into the cafe four years ago.

Molinary, who also runs his own greeting card company, owns the art gallery, Over Coffee, in the cafe.

Besides the coffee, conversation and art gallery, Bowen's cafe offers several other amenities to its patrons. Although her focus is coffee, Bowen serves up a continental breakfast and light lunch.

La Coffee Café also serves as a mini-library that functions on an honor system.

"People bring in their books and swap them out (with something on the shelves)," Bowen said. "It's a sharing thing."

Because the building once served as the original Old Town Library, Bowen decided to keep it as a "library" when she opened the shop in 1999. In February, Bowen

added game night, which has been well-received by her patrons. Game night

tests visitors' skills with chess, backgammon, board games, dominos and card games.

Bowen said there was already a number of her guests playing at people's homes so she just decided to have it at the cafe.

"Most things I have here are born out of people say-'Why don't you do this?" she said. "My goal is to respond to the wants and needs of the community. I want it to be a community

During one of her visits Coast, Ellis the to who Anderson, Quarter Moon Gallery on Main Street, asked Bowen if she was an artist.

"I just laughed," Bowen said.

Calhoun, however, told Anderson that her friend was very creative and dreamed of opening a coffee shop on the Coast. Anderson told her there was just such a shop for sale in town. Bowen looked

"Most things I have here are born out of people saying, 'Why don't you do this?' My goal is to respond to the wants and needs of the community. I want it to be a community coffee house."

Valorie Bowen

coffee house."

This dream began several years ago while Bowen was taking one of her numerous mini-vacations in Bay St. Louis. She would visit her friend, Kathe Calhoun, whenever she needed a break from her stressful job as a corporate

negotiator in Dallas, Texas. "When the business world got to me, I would come to Bay St. Louis and refresh my soul," she said.

at the store but didn't pursue it any further.

On another trip, someone mentioned that the little shop on Court Street

didn't see how I could do it." A few days later after

she said. customer who felt so wel-

was available. "I saw the shop, and I loved it," she said. "But, I

returning to Dallas, Bowen called the owners of the

"I couldn't get it out of my head," she said. "I Bay St. Louis," she said.

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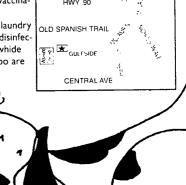


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prayed a lot about what to

wanted to open a coffee

shop in Bay St. Louis, he

worked out a deal with her

the company for six months

while they found and

trained my replacement,"

she said. "They agreed to

pay me three months

salary up front, which

bought the coffee shop, and

then three months salary

paid out over the next six

her

answered, Bowen placed

her house on the market. It

"I know without a shad-

ow of a doubt I was meant

to be here," she said. "This

is a blessed place, and I feel

privileged to be running it."

Bowen's dream has become

reality and her goal to

establish the shop as a

community coffee house

welcomed and loved here,"

"I want people to feel

There was one particular

comed and comfortable at

the shop that he almost for-

this place," he told Bowen,

"it feels like I'm in my liv-

an unspoken motto for

place as the living room of

"That's the trouble with

His comment initiated

"I like to think of this

seems within reach.

got to pay one day.

ing room."

Bowen.

Now, four years later,

sold four days later.

prayers

months."

With

"I agreed to consult for

so she could have it.

When her boss heard she

Time

-Rev. Lane G. Adams of Miami, Fla., who was reared in Bay St. Louis, will return to his childhood home next week to conduct United week-long Protestant Inspirational Service at First Baptist Church, Main Street. Mrs. J.B. Goldman will be organist and Mrs. Cart T. Smith and Mrs. Toy Tedford will be pianists.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

February 13, 1953 - Bay St. Louis Public School officials have been notified by U.S. Congressman William Colmer and the Federal Agency Security

Washington, \$27,725.00 have been allocated for the purpose of constructing the new elementary school building in Bay St. Louis. The allocation of federal funds has been made because of the people of Bay St. Louis are presently employed on Federal projects along the Coast.

The amount, in addition to \$12,000.00 allocated by Building State Commission for the same purpose, will enable officials to go forward in the construction of the elementary school building that will be directly across Highway 90 (Ulman Avenue) from the present building.

-John David, Captain in charge of the St. Joseph's Alumni Carnival parade, scheduled for 2 p.m. Saturday, February 14, said, "This year's parade will have band music from Sacred Heart's School in Biloxi, as well as a Hill Billy band which will provide music for street dancing following the parade."

SIXTY YEARS AGO

February 12, 1943 Brothers in Service. Mrs. Emma Baxter of Logtown is the proud mother of two sons who are in the service of their country. Staff

Sergeant Walton Baxter is somewhere in Africa and Austin Baxter is in the United States Navy, stationed at Corpus Christi, Texas.

-Monroe Garcia Lakeshore is a Private First Class in Company D, Quartermaster Bn., Field Bakery, Camp Blanding, Florida.

-Erwin Moran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Moran of Waveland is in the United States Navy and is stationed at New River, North Carolina. Moran is a graduate of St. Stanislaus and is a Third Class Electricians Mate in the Navy.

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Fri. 3/28 & Sat. 3/29, 8:00-12:00. Cloths, toys, baby items, furniture, 7x12 trailer, tiller, 6x16 dog kennel, Nascar collectibles.

4 FAMILY YARD SALE: 122 Fleitas Ave. P.C. (first house off beach). Sat., 29th., 8:00-till.

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St., Waveland. Sat. March 29. Two EVERYTHING NEW YARD SALE: RECONDITIONED HOME APPLI-Fenton Dedeaux community center

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1983 F100 FORD TRUCK LONGbed 300 6 cylinder. Some work used childrens better needed, tool box, \$500. 467-2168. spring/summer clothing in a 2 day consignment sale. Thursday 4/3, Friday 4/4. For info. 467-5691 228-467-1668.

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ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES, Tools, dolls, furniture. One piece or house full. Call 467-2628 days.

CASH FOR UNWANTED ITEMS before garage sale, moving, estate disposal or cleaning out. Buying bric edition porcelain dolls. In box. Mint brack, households, tools, antiques, sheds/garage items. Wood furniture etc. Call 467-4857 if we can help you out. Also cleaning out sheds/garages for Cash/Contents. All messages returned promptly. 8 FT. ALMOND COLOR ISLAND COUNER TOP: NEW, \$150 firm.

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14-1/2 FT. KENNEDY CRAFT, 25HP Evenrude and trailer, \$950.00

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Yacht Club. Recently renovated. Hardwood floors. \$750.00 3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH HOME in Spanish Acres. Fenced

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147 Apartments For Rent

BEDROOM, ALL ELECTRIC. Carpet, stove, refrigerator, water included. 100"B" Blaize Ave., BSL, \$350/month, \$300/deposit. Pet/free. Lease required. Call 463-0043.

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& 3BR/1-1/2 BA. DUPLEXS: Washer & dryer hookups, 1 year lease plus deposit. 467-3601.

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W/D Hookup, Ctr. H/AC, Fenced Patio. \$450 mo. plus Deposit. 586ings advertised are available on an

WATERFRONT: 1500 SQ.FT. APT. Dinning-room, 2 bedroom, new kitchen appliance, new carpet/flooring, large decks, pet free, drug free, \$550/month+deposit. 467-6849.

148 Mobile Homes For Rent

16X80. MOBILE HOME. Clean, like new. 255-7180.

1BR/1BATH WATERFRONT, Quiet location. \$280/month, \$200/deposit. Sailfish license a plus. Close to churches Realty. 466-9947. 3/BEDROOM, NEWLY Renovated in

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The following property will be sold for cash At public auction to the highest bidder on April 7, 2003, commencing at 11:30 a.m.

644 Union Street, Bay St. Louis, MS (3bedrooms, 1 bath, Brick Veneer)

The sale will be held at the North door of the Hancock County Courthouse in the city of Bay St. Louis, MS. For complete legal description and details of the sale, please refer to the legal section of this newspaper.

For more information, please contact Carol M. Cowart, Community Development Manager at (228) 831-0881, Ext. 4 or 12238 Ashley Dr., Gulfport, MS 39503

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149 Mobile Homes For Sale

12x60 MOBILE HOME. \$2,500. 2 window units, heater, propane tank, and electrical pole included. 255-7508.

80X16 PATRIOT MOBILE 1999, Home: 4 bedroom 2 bath, plywood floors & walls, vinyl siding, shingle roof. Paid \$32,000. Aug. 01. Now \$17,000. 228-990-7300.

FOR SALE HOUSE TRAILER: WHY Rent? \$2000/down, \$513.88/month, can you move you into a 1998 3 br, 2 bath mobile home on 4 lots, nice yard, ready to move in. Cjty water & sewer, excellent condition. 228-255-0006, 216-0964, 601-916-4189.

MEADOWS MOBILE HOME LOT. Hwy 603, Waveland, Ms. Closing. 2 single wides and 2 double wides left to sell. No reasonable offer refused. 228-466-9900.

MOBILE HOME REPO 3B, 28X48. Lenders must sell, \$24,000. 1-985-727-3052

PICAYUNE AREA: 2002 3 BED-ROOM, 2 bath, Take over note. 228-493-5185.

WHY RENT? \$2000.00/DOWN, \$478.00/month can move you into a 2000 3 bedroom, 2 bath Mobile home on large lot. Ready to move in. City water & sewer. Excellent condition. 1-601-916-4189, 228-255-0006, 216-0964

150 Unfurn. Houses Rent

BEDROOM COTTAGE FOR RENT: \$395/month, \$395/deposit. 467-6533. Ask for Mike.

2-1/2 BEDROOM 2 BATH, Central a/h, screen porch, carport, smoke free, walk to beach. \$750.00 plus deposit. Available 04/01. 466-9552.

2BR/1BA, \$500/MONTH, close to Casino. Call 467-9278. 2BR/2BA, LIVINGROOM, KITCHEN, dinette, air/heat, new carpet, yard, water & sewage furnished, pet free

SCREENED PORCH. 2BR/2BA, central a/h, kitchen appliance, w/d hookups, 1/2 block from beach, BSL, pet free. \$700/month, \$500/deposit. 467-4138.

3 BEDROOM, 1 BATH, WASHER dryer hookups, pet-free, \$550/month plus \$500 deposit. 466-5971. BATHS, FENCED

3BR/2-FULL yard, close to beach, all electric, \$750/month, pet/smoke \$750/deposit (352)394-4782.

3BR/2BA HOUSE IN WAVELAND. Quiet neighborhood, near beach. St. Clare. \$600/mo. Available April 1, 150 Unfurn. Houses Rent

6176 S. BEACH 3BR/2BA DECK Overlooks Gulf. \$600/mo, lease. Call (504)391-9903.

B.S.L. 3BR/1BA. DINING, kitchen, pantry, stove, ref. Water paid. Office. Modern. \$675/month, plus deposit. 452-4700.

CATCH THE BEACH BREEZES from this just renovated 2/3 bdrm h/air, comer lot. home. Cntl \$525/month. Pet-free. Key Properties 467-0600

RENT: 3BR/2BA., FOR construction, 168 & 172 Felicity, Spanish Acres Dr. 3BR/2BA \$600/month; 405-A Citizen St. Townhome. 3BR/2-1/2BA \$850. Call Chari at McIntyre Rapp Real Estate, 467-3777.

LIKE NEW 3 BR, 2 BA FROM \$750 per month. Century 21 of Diamondhead. 255-3550.

ALL ELECTRIC 2BD BAISED AC/Heat, stove and refrigerator furnished. Carpeted, very clean. 1 year lease. References required. Sewer and water furnished. \$500/dep, \$600/month, 6183 2nd St. off Harbor Dr., 467-8287.

SECLUDED 3 BDRM 2 BATH home w/hi ceilings, L-shaped covered porch just outside the city limits on 7 acres. \$600/month. Pet-free. Key Properties 467-0600.

SPANISH ACRES: 3 BEDROOM, 2 full baths, fenced yard. \$650/month plus deposit. 467-4987.

> Lots/Acreage 156

150X150 CLEARED LOT, WAVE-LAND AREA off Margie St. \$18,500. 466-2641 or 216-5968.

2 50X100 OR 1 100X100 WATER-FRONT lot on Manhattan St. in Riverview near the Jourdan River. Call 493-9857 or 466-9857.

HENLEY PLACE, BAY ST. LOUIS,

MS. Extra large corner lot blocks from the beach. In well known area, with nice homes. \$21,500 call (985)781-8400 NICE WATERFRONT LOT in Shoreine Park, \$13,000. Owner finance 10%

\$2600 down, \$221/month, 5 years. Owner/agent. 669-4444 or 255-0403. OWNER FINANCE: NICE BUILDING

LOT, Pine Ridge, Waveland \$19,000. Gold Coast, 228-467-4479. PRIME LOCATION RIGHT OFF Old Spanish Trail. 2.3 acres or 14 lots. Ryan St. Call Lori, Coldwell Banker,

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255-3082 OPEN HOUSE ON

SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 2003 7838 HILO PLACE, DIAMONDHEAD, MS FROM 1:00 TO 3:00. 3 Bed/2 Bath Brick Home on a nice corner lot. Fireplace, Open Living Area, Nice Master Suite and Master Bath, plus a 2 car garage. \$139,000.

OPEN HOUSE ON SUNDAY, MARCH 30, 2003

514 SUNSET DRIVE, BAY ST. LOUIS, MS FROM 1:00 TO 3:00, 4 Bed/2 Bath Home with Formal Living and Dining Room, Den, Carport, Needs some updating but is a well-built brick home. \$129,900.

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painted, spic-n-span, 2bd., 1ba. home in very quiet area. (2B27)

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Lots/Acreage

PROPERTY FOR SALE: 4 LOTS, back to back, street to street, 23rd Street, Shoreline Park, \$8000; Also 2 lots, East Issaquena St., Bayside Park, \$3000: 467-2091.

WHITE CYPRESS LAKES: OWNER financing. Beautiful acreage lots, waterfront, trailer lots, pool, club-house, tennis courts, and fishing. Ten miles east of I-59, Carriere exit. Thirty miles from Bay St. Louis. 228-255-1790.

158 Commercial Property

2 COMMERCIAL LOTS FOR SALE: 100'x200' total, on Hwy. 603. \$42,500 for both. 467-9545 or 466-

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY: 415 Necaise, BSL, \$225/month. Call for info. 467-9278.

FOR RENT: 2 ROOM UPSTAIRS Office, near Courthouse, 142 Main St. B.S.L. 601-798-4415.

OFFICE & RETAIL SPACE available: Choctaw Village, Waveland Ms. Phone 228-255-4396 or Pager 228-

PRUDENTIAL GARDNER: Excellent office location, 1015 Hwy. 90. 2 units available. Close to Hancock Medical Center. Terms negotiable. Call for info./appointment. 467-1602.

SHOP AREA 864 SQ. FT., \$300/MONTH Corner of Sycamore & Hancock, BSL. Electric included. 332-0616 or 586-5897.

Houses For Sale 159

2BR/1BA. JUST REMODELED. NEW appliances, window treatments, Berber carpet, wood floors in kitchen, new cabinets, new bath, one block off the bay. \$68,500. 228-466-5800, Cell 228-363-0313

3 YEAR OLD, 2503 SQ.FT. Custom built home in Waveland with many extras. \$139,000. 228-466-3566.

CUTE 3BR NEWLY RENOVATED priced to sell. \$48,000 302 Sandy St. Waveland Gold Coast (228)-467-

DIAMONDHEAD 3BR/2BA: Dinninroom, breakfast, living room, many more amenities, 2325 sq.ft. On golf course. \$219,000. Agent 883-8554.

I WILL PAY TOP \$ FOR YOUR PROPERTY, any condition. Will pay all closing cost. Agents protected. O/A. (504)908-7653.

WALK TO BEACH: 1 ACRE PLUS. 1br/ba, new a/c, \$57,300. 120 Cedar Point Road off Dunbar. Gold Coast, 228-467-4479.

159 Houses For Sale

JOUADAN RIVER 3br/2ba, kitchen w/den combo/comer fireplace wooden blinds w/lots windows. Back porch w/nice view. Bulkhead w/dock. Storage room w/lull bath downstairs. Larger lot. Priced right, \$149,900, 586-0433.

NEW CONSTRUCTION: 3BR/2BA, double garage, tray ceiling/living-room & master bedroom, fireplace, alarm system, 1886sq.ft. 125 Marcle Waveland. \$112,000. 467-Lane, 5691.

SHORT WALK TO BEACH: PRE-CIOUS 2 Bedroom cottage freshly painted, large living area, fenced yard, and screened porch across the front. \$61,700.

VERY SPECIAL old cypress home high ceilings, large rooms, old trees and a seldom traveled street. \$65,000.

ATTN INVESTORS: Secluded 3 Bedroom vinyl sided home with some wood floors, wrap-around covered porch just outside the city limits. \$23,900.

Key Properties 467-0600

161 Condo Rental/Sale

1500 SQ. FT. TOWNHOUSE/Condo in Waveland. Balcony over looks Gulf, completely redone, 2bd/2-1/2ba, furnished, double carport and storage area, \$145,000. Possible owner finance. Call 985-641-9022/985-649-7093.

Public Notices

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the personal property of Aaron Boudreaux, whose last known address was 707 E. North Street, Pass Christian, Ms 39571. An auction shall take place at 1:00 o'clock p.m. at Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, on the 16th of April 2003.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
ROBERT P. JOLET
PAMELA DUTCHER VAN EPPS PETITIONER

PAMELA DUTCHER VAN EPPS PETITIONER
NO. 2002-880
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the
18 day of March, 2003. by the Chancery Court of
HANCOCK County, Mississippi to the undersigned EXECUTRIX of the Estate of ROBERT P.
JOLET, DECEASED, notice is hereby given to all
persons having claims against said estate to
present the same to the Clerk of this Court for

present the same to the Clerk of this Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

THIS the 18 day of March 2003.

PAMELA DUTCHER VAN EPPS EXECUTRIX OF THE Estate of ROBERT P. JOLET Deceased

MICHAEL C. HILL ATTORNEY AT LAW 1914 24TH AVENUE GULFPORT, MS 39501 (228) 868-1013 Attorney for the EXECUTRIX 3/20; 3/27; 4/3; 4/10/03

Public Notices

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M THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF THE
MINOR CHILD NAMED IN THE PETITION
VERGELIE VERSUS LEO DRISCOLL, a minor,

LEO DRISCOLL, a minor, et als.

CAUSE NO. 2002-17A
SUMMONS
(Service by Publication; Residence Unknown)
TO: LEO DRISCOLL alleged father of the minor child named in the Petition, whose last known street and post office address after diligent search and inquiry made is 401 Pecan Park, Bay St. Louis, MS
You have been made a Respondent in the suit filed in this Court by Petitioners named herein seeking relief as fully set out in the Petition on file.

file. You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 o'clock a.m. on the 18th day of April, 2003, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse at Guifport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition.

pention.
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire a lssued under my hand and seal of said Court. his 11th day of March, 2003.

> TIMOTHY A. KELLAR Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi BY: Pamela Cuevas

Attorney for Petitioners MALCOLM F. JONES Attorney at Law 106 East Beach Blvd. Pass Christian, MS 39571 03/13; 03/20; 03/27/03

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE HEIRSHIP OF
ESTATE OF ITASKA WHITE, Deceased
CAUSE NUMBER: 2002-246
SUMMONS
TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW AND ANY
OTHER PERSONS CLAIMING AN INTEREST.
RIGHT OR TITLE AS HEIRS-AT-LAW OF ITASKA WHITE.

NIGHT OR TITLE AS REINS-AI-LAW OF TIASYou have been made Respondents in the proceedings filed in this Court by Thomas White, Dianne B. Vincent, Donna B. Cloveland, Jason Bryant, Heather Bryant, and Rodney Bryant seeking
adjudication that they are the sole heirs-at-law of
Itaska White, Deceased.
You are summoned to appear and defend
against the Petition filed against you in this action
at 9:30 o'clock a.m., on the 30th day of April,
2003, in the Chancery Court Courthouse at Bay
St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure
to appear and defend a judgment will be entered
against you for the things demanded in the Petition.

tion.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 25th day of March, 2003

TIM KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI BY: Janet McArthur, D.C. 3/27; 4/3; 4/10/03

> NOTICE TO CREDITORS VERA LEE MILLER

VERA LEE MILLER
NO. 2003-222
Letters of Administration having been granted on
the 18 day of March, 2003, by the Chancery
Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the
undersigned upon the Estate of Vera Lee Miller,
deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons
having claims against said estate to present the
same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and
registered according to law within ninety (90)
days from date of first publication of this notice.
or they will be forever barred This 18 day of March, 2003. ROBERT MILLER

DAVID M. NECAISE Attorney At Law P O Box 2036 Bay St. Louis, MS 39521 03/27; 04/03; 04/10; 04/17/03

Public Notices

M THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
LEON J. LEBLANC, JR Deceased
NO. 2003-119
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 6th day of March 2003, by the Chancery Court of Hançock Cöunty, Mississippi to the undersigned Executitx of the Estate of Leon J. Leblanc, dr. Decoased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to present the same to the clerk of this court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred. days from the inits promated they will be forever barred.
THIS the 10th day of March 2003.

DONNA HENRY

Executrix of the Estate of
Leon J Leblanc, Jr., Deceased

PREPARED BY
The Law Offices Of
THOMAS D, BERRY. JR
Post Office Box 88 (140 Main Street)
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520-0088
Phone/Fax: (229)-463-0100 MSB NO. 2469 03/13; 03/20; 03/27/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
JAMES NECAISE
PLAINTIFF
VERGUS

JAMES NECAISE
VERSUS
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF LEROY J.
HODA, DECEASED THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT
LAW OF ROSENIA NICAISE HODA A.K.A.
ROSENIA NICAISE, DECEASED THE
UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF GENEVIE N.
LADNER, DECEASED DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 2003-199
SUMMONS

UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF GENEVIE N. LADNER, DECEASED DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 2003-199
SUMMONS
(Service by Publication: Residence Unknown)
TO: The Unknown Heirs at Law of LEROY J
HODA, deceased; The Unknown Heirs at Law of ROSENIA NICAISE HODA A.K.A. ROSENIA
NICAISE, deceased; The Unknown Heirs at Law of GENEVIE N. LADNER, deceased
You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this court by JAMES NECAISE initiating a civil action alleging that ROSENIA NICAISE HODA
A.K.A. ROSENIA NICAISE was the sole and only heirs at law of LEROY J. HODA, deceased, that JAMES NECAISE, BERNELL NECAISE, MARDELL TOMASICH, JANELL BOURGEOIS, BERTHA PARKER, MILDREN LADNER and the children of her deceased child, GENEVIE NECAISE who are WANDA LADNER, BILLIE JEAN
NECAISE, BARBARA JOHNSON, PATTY BERMOND AND CARL LADNER are the sole and only heirs at law of ROSENIA NICAISE HODA
A.K.A. ROSENIA NICAISE, deceased and WANDA LADNER, BILLIE JEAN NECAISE, BARBARA JOHNSON, PATTY BERMOND AND CARL LADNER are the sole and only heirs at law of GENEVIE N. LADNER, BILLIE JEAN NECAISE, BARBARA JOHNSON, PATTY BERMOND AND CARL LADNER are the sole and only heirs at law of GENEVIE N. LADNER, deceased.
You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 O'Clock A.M. on the 17th day of April, 2003. In the courtroom of the Hancock County Chancery Court at 306 Highway 90. Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, 39520 and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition.
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 7th day of March, 2003
(SEAL)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK HANCOCK COUNTY. MISSISSIPPI BY Janet McArthur DEPUTY CLERK 03/13, 03/20; 03/27/03

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Request for proposal 03-15.
Clean and paint a portion of the exterior of a 500,000 gallon water tank. Work extends to approx 50 feet above ground level. Approximately 5,000 square feet. Bidders must be bonded and insured. Bids due no later than 10:00 a m. April 18, 2003. Work scope details available at District Office. Contact

General Manager Diamondhead Water& Sewer District 4425 Park Ten Dr Diamondhead, MS 39525 Diamondnead, MS 39323 tel 228-255-5813 fax. 228-255-9139 e-mail: dwsd@cableone.net 03/16, 03/20, 03/23, 03/27/03

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M THE CHANCERY COURT, OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI HIEN TRAN AVI/A TRAN HEM PLAINTIFF

HIEN TRAN AN/A TRAN HEN

VS.

JULIENNE O. MATHERINE, COLUMBUS
MATHERINE, UNION MORTGAGE COMPANY,
INC., SHIRLEY DUFRENE, FLORENCE
DUFRENE, AND ANY AND ALL.
OTHER PERSONS DEFENDANTS

CIVIL CAUSE NO. 2003-201

PUBLICATION SUMMONS

TO: (1) Julienne O. Matherine, if alive, who is
believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississipp), whose last known address, both post
and street address, is 400 South Broadway,
Wells MN 56097, after diligent search and inquiy, and if she be dead, her unknown heirs at law
or devisees, whose names, last known addresses, both post office and street address, are
unknown, after diligent search and inquiry,
(2) Columbus Matherine, if alive who is believed
to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi,
whose last known address, both post and street
address, is 400 South Broadway, Wells, MN
56097, after diligent search and inquiry, and if he
be dead, her unknown his at law or devisees,
whose names, last known addresses, both post
office and street address, are unknown, after diligent search and inquiry; (3) Union Mortgage
Company, Inc. which is believed to be a non-resident diporation of the State of Mississippi, it's
last known address, both post and street
address, s. P.O Box 515929, Dallas, TX 75257last known address, both post and stree address is, P.O Box 515929, Dallas, TX 75257 address, is, P.O. Box 515929, Dallas, TX 752575929, after diligent search and inquiry, and if dissolved it's Unknown Stockholders or Assigns,
whose names, last known addresses, both post
office and street address, are unknown, after diligent search and inquiry. (4) Shirley Dufrene, if
alive, who is believed to be a non-resident of the
State of Mississippi, whose last known address,
both post and street address, is 7043 Hancock
Drive, Bay St. Louis, MS 395260, and if moved,
he is believed to be a non-resident of the State of
Mississippin, whose address, both post office and Drive, Bay St. Louis, MS 395260, and if moved, he is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose address, both post office and street addresses, is unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and if he be dead, his unknown heirs at law or devisees, whose names, last known addresses, both post office and street address, are unknown after diligent search and inquiry; (5) Florence Dufrene, if alive, who is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose last known address, both post and street address, is 7043 Hancock Drive, Bay St. Louis, MS 395260, and if moved, she is believed to be a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose address, both post office and street addresses, is unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and if she be dead, her unknown heirs at law or devisees, whose names, last known addresses, both post office and street address, are unknown, after diligent search and inquiry; (6) And Any and All Other Persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in and to the herein after described land.

Lot 34, Block 214, Bayside Park Subdivision, Ital 3, Hancock County, Mississione, 1501.

described land.

Lot 34. Block 214. Bayside Park Subdivision.

Unit 3. Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi Parcel No. 163M-0-07-043 000.

You have been made defendants in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Hein Tran af/k/a Tran Hein, plaintiff, whose address is c/o George H. Lipscomb, Jr. P.O. Box 2114. Bay St. Louis. MS 39521.

The complaint filed against you has initiated a

civil action alleging legal ownership of the above described property and seeking to quiet and confirm title

described property and seeking to quiet and confirm title
You are required to file with the Clerk of this
Court a written answer either admitting or denying each allegation in the complaint; and in addition, a copy of your written answer should be
either mailed or hand delivered to George H
Lipscomb, Jr. Plaintiffs attorney, whose address
is P.O Box 2114. Bay St. Louis, MS 39521
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE FILED NOT LATER
THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 13TH DAY
OF March, 2003, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE
FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS IF
YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO FILED, MAILED
OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT
MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE
MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN
THE COMPLAINT
WITNESS my signature and official seal this 10th
day of March, 2003
(Seal)

Timothy A Kellar CHANCERY CLERK BY Pamela Cuevas DEPUTY CLERK **Public Notices**

M THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY MISSISSIPPI
DIAMONDHEAD COUNTRY CLUB AND
PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.
PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, SECRETARY OF
STATE; HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS; COHO CARANNA, DISTRICT ATTORNEY; MICHAEL A. BRUNO, III, as Trustee
of the Mary M. Bruno Family Trust; MICHAEL
A. BRUNO, INDIVIDUALLY; MARY M. BRUNO;
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING A
LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN LOT 7,
BLOCK 3, UNIT 5, DIAMONDHEAD, PHASE 2,
A SUBDIVISION OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

CAUSE NO. 2003-208
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
TO: State of Mississippi, Secretary of, State; Hancock County, Board of Supervisors; Cono Caranna, District Attorney; Michael A. Bruno, III as
Trustee of the Mary M. Bruno Family Trust; Michael A. Bruno, Individually, Mary M. Bruno and
All persons having or claiming a legal or equitable interest in Lot 7, Block 3, Unit 5, Diamondhead, Phase 2, a subdivision of Hancock County,
Mississippi NOTICE

Mississippi

NOTICE

This is a suit by Diamondhead Country Club and Property Owners Association, Inc to confirm its title in that certain property described above and as more fully set out in the Complaint to Confirm Title which is on file in the Chancery Court of Hancock Country, Mississippi in the above case number if you have a legal or equitable claim or interest in this property, you are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of your response to the Complaint to Confirm Title within thirty (30) days from the 20th day of March 2003, which is the date of the first publication of this summons, to the attorney for the Plaintiffs, Kelly Michael Rayburn, Esq. whose address is Post Office Box 2566, Gulfport, Mississippi 39505. OTHERWISE, IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A RESPONSE, A JUDIAMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward. The address of the Clerk of this Court is P.O. Box 429 Bay St. Louis Ms 39521 (SEAL)

Timothy A Keller, Chancery Clerk Hancock County, Mississippi By Lamnell Scarborough Deputy Clerk

3/20: 3/27. 4/03/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
ROBERT MILLER, ETALS PLAINTIFFS VERSUS THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF

VERA LEE MILLER, DECEASED DEFENDANTS SUMMONS

CAUSE NO.: 2003-222
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Unknown Heirs at Law of Vera Lee Miller.

TO Unknown Heirs at Law of Vera Lee Miller. deceased NOTICE TO DEFENDANTS

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Robert Miller. Ronald I Miller. Scott C Miller and Deborah Barnes. Plaintiffs. seeking a Declaration of Heirship You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against, you in this action at 9:30 o'clock on the 29th day of April. 2003. In the courtroom of the Hancock County Court House at Bay St Louis. Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a Judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition plaint or petition
You are not required to file an answer or other

pleading, but you may do so if you desire Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court this the 19th day of March 2003 (SEAL) Timothy A Kellai

Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, MS BY Janet McArthur

DATED 3/19/03 3/27 4/3, 4/10: 4/17/03 David M Necaise P O. Box 2036 Bay St Louis MS 39521 228-466-0670

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
TOMMY R. DELL PLAINTII ETHEL CORINE DAVIS NECAISE AND

VS.

ETHEL CORINE DAVIS NECAISE, AND ANY AND ALL OTHER PERSONS DEFENDANTS

CIVIL CAUSE NO. 2003-228

PUBLICATION SUMMONS

TO (1)Ethel Corine Davis Necaise alva Ethel Corine Davis if alive, whose tast known address, both post office and street addresses, is 1003 Washington Road, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, alter diligent search and inquiry, and if dead, her unknown heirs at law or devisees, whose names and addresses, are unknown after diligent search and inquiry, (2) Any and All Other Persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in and to the heremafter described land.

Beginning at a stake on the Range line between Ranges 14 and 15, which stake is the Northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 8 South, Range 15 West, Hancock

Township 8 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi; thence run West 1105 feet to a stake; thence run South 246.5 feet to an iron a stake; thence run South 246.5 feet to an iron stake; thence run East 1105 feet to an iron stake; thence run North 246.5 feet to the Place of Beginning, sald land containing 6 acres, more or less, and being a part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 8 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi

of Section 13. Township 8 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi Being the property conveyed by Alfred Favre to Viola Favre by deed, dated June 9, 1952, and recorded in Deed Book 0-8, page 395 of the Hancock County Deed Records; and being the same land conveyed by Frank Davis and wife, Edith Favre Davis to Grantor herein by deed, dated September 14, 1976, and recorded in Deed Book AA-11, page 116 of the alforesand Deed Records. You have been made defendants in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Tommy R. Dell, plaintiff, whose address is c/o George H. Lipscomb, Jr. P.O. Box 2114, Bay St. Louis, MS 39521. The complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging legal ownership of the above described property and seeking to quiet and con-

oescribed property and seeking to quiet and confirm title.
You are required to file with the Clerk of this Court a written answer either admitting or denying each allegation in the complaint; and in addition, a copy of your written answer should be either mailed or hand delivered to George H. Lipscomb, Jr., Plainiiffs' attorney, whose address is P.O. Box 2114, Bay St. Louis, MS 39521
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE FILED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 20TH DAY OF March, 2003, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO FILED, MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

WITNESS my signature and official seal this 17 day of March, 2003. (SEAL)

Timothy A. Kellar CHANCERY CLERK BY: Larrinell Scarborough DEPUTY CLERK 3/20; 3/27; 4/3/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPP IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

2003-229
TO: The unknown or known heirs at law and all other persons claiming any right, title or interest as heirs of the estate of Shirley Ann Wyatt
You are hereby summoned to appear to show cause that Robert W Wyatt, Jr. Walter David Wyatt and John M. Wyatt should not be adjudicated as the sole and only heirs at law of the Decedent. Shirley Ann Wyatt, as fully set out in the petition on file in the Chancery Court of Hancock County Mississippi. 2003-229

County, Mississippi.
You are hereby summoned to appear and defend against the pelition filed against you in this action at 9:30 o'clock a m on the 1, day of May 2003 in the courtroom of the Hancock County Courthouse Annex at 306 Highway 90. Bay St. Lous, Mississippi and in the case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the petition. manded in the petition You are not required to file an answer or other

pleading but you may do so if you desire Issued under my hand and seal of this Court, this the 18 day of March, 2003 (SEAL) TIM KELLAR

Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi BY: Erica Candebat 3/20, 3/27, 4/3/03

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

SHIRLEY ANN WYATT, Deceased 2003-229

2003-229

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 18th day of March, 2003, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of SHIRLEY ANN WYATT, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present same to the Clerk of said Court for Propagate and registered according to law within unerty.

bate and registered according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever This the 18th day of March 2003 ROBERT W. WYATT, JR

3/20; 3/27, 4/3/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI PLAINTIFF JAMES R. BAILEY, ETAL DEFEI Cause No. 2003-231 PUBLICATION SUMMONS **DEFENDANTS**

PUBLICATION SUMMONS
(Service by Publication Residence Unknown)
To James R Bailey and Mary G. Bailey, if alive, whose last known address, both post office and street address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and whose present address, both post office and street address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry, and if dead, the unknown heirs at law of James R. Bailey and Mary G. Bailey, whose post office and street address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry. are unknown after diligent search and inquiry any and all other persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in the following lands Lots 7, 8 and 9, Square 724, Shoreline Park Subdivision, Unit 11, Hancock County, Mississippi You have been made defendants in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Leslie L. Wahl, Complainant, whose address is c/o David M. Necaise, Esq. P. O. Box 2036, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39521. The complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging legal ownership of the above described property and seeking to quiet and confirm title. You are required to file with the Clerk of this Court a written answer either admitting or devision, Unit 11, Hancock County, Mississippi ou have been made defendants in the lawsuit

this Court a written answer either admitting or de this Court a written answer either admitting or de-nying each allegation in the complaint; and, in ad-dition, a copy of your written answer should be ei-ther mailed or hand delivered to David M Ne-caise. Esq. complain

pi 39521
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE FILED NOT LATER
THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 27th DAY OF
MARCH, 2003, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE
FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF
YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO MAILED OR DE-IVERED. A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COM-PLAINT
WITNESS my signature and official seal this the
18 day of March, 2003
(SEAL)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR BY ERICA CANDEBAT

Clerk of the Court

3/27: 4/3, 4/10/03

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, on April 25, 1997, Beverly Ann Langlinais executed a deed of trust to Betsy L. Pincus, Trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein
mentioned to Shiloh Ranch Estates, Inc., a Mis-

mentioned to Shiloh Ranch Estates, Inc., a Mississippi corporation, which deed of trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 480, page 55 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Mississippi, and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust and Shiloh Ranch Fstates, Inc., the legal holder of said indebted-Estates, Inc., the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and properin accordance with the terms of said deed of

ty in accordance with the terms of said deed or trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Trustee's fees and expense of sale;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Betsy L. Pincus, Trustee in said deed of trust, will on the 22nd day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, and will sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 thering between the house the County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, the following described property situated and lying in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to with

Mississippi, to-wit: Lot 2, SHILOH RANCH ESTATES, Phase II, as per the official plat of said subdivision filed and of record in Plat Book 7, at page 32, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Missis-

sippi.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in me as Trustee. DATED this the 24th day of March, 2003.

BETSY L. PINCUS 3/27; 4/3; 4/10; 4/17/03

Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPI PLAINTIFF **GEORGE R. FLOWERS**

EMMANUEL PULLMAN and ALTA E.
PULLMAN, IF LIVING, IF NOT, THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES AND ASSIGNS;
MIKE MOORE, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF MISSISSIPPI; TIM A. KELLAR, CHANCERY
CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI;
CONO CARANNA, DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; ANY AND
ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS, FIRMS, OR CORPORATIONS, HAVING OR CLAIMING TO
HAVE ANY TITLE, RIGHT OF INTEREST IN
THE SUBJECT REAL PROPERTY
DEFENDANTS EMMANUEL PULLMAN and ALTA E. DEFENDANTS NO. 2003-245

NO. 2003-245
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Emmanuel Pullman and Alta E. Pullman, all living, if not their unknown heirs, devisees and assigns, and to Any all persons, firms, or corporations having or claiming to have any title, right or interest in and to the subject real property, who are not to be found in the State of Mississippi af ter diligent search and inquiry, whose identities and last known places of residence, street and post office addresses are and remain unknown after diligent search and inquiry by Plaintiff to ascertain same touching upon title to real properly described as:

Lot 1 Block 27, TOWN OF PEARLINGTON.

Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County.

office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi YOU HAVE BEEN MADE A DEFENDANT IN THE SUIT FILED IN THIS COURT BY GEORGE R. FLOWERS, SEEKING COMPLAINT TO CONFIRM TAX TITLE. DEFENDANTS OTHER THAN YOU IN THIS ACTION ARE MIKE MOORE, TIM A. KELLAR AND CONO CARANNA. YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST THIS COMPLAINT OR PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT 9:30 O'CLOCK a.m. ON THE 1st DAY OF MAY, 2003, IN THE COURTROOM OF THE CHANCERY COUNTY COURTHOUSE AT BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OR YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER THINGS DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT OR PETITION YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE AN ANSWER OR OTHER PLEADING, BUT YOU MAY DO SO IF YOU DESIRE.

issued under my hand and seal of said Court, this 21 day of March, 2003 (SEAL)

Timothy Kellar
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi
BY LarrInell Scarborugh

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
PHILLIP V. BRUCE, JR. PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
JAMES K. SADLER, JR and SUSAN LETITIA
SADLER, IF LIVING, IF NOT THEIR UNKNOWN
HEIRS, DEVISEES AND ASSIGNS; KENNETH
MCCARTHY, IF LIVING, IF NOT HIS UNKNOWN
HEIRS, DEVISEES AND ASSIGNS; MIKE
MOORE, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF MISSIS
SIPPI: TIM A KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK OF SIPPI: TIM A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK OF SIPPI: TIM A, KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI: CONO CARANNA, DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; THE CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, BY AND THROUGH IT'S CITY CLERK, ROBERT PARKER; ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS, FIRMS, OR CORPORATIONS, HAVING OR CLAIMING TO HAVE ANY TITLE. RIGHT OF INTEREST IN THE SUBJECT REAL PROPERTY DEFENDANTS **DEFENDANTS**

NO. 2003-254 SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO James K Sadler Jr and Susan Letitla Sadler and Kenneth McCarthy, if living, if not their unknown heirs, devisees and assigns, not to be found within the State of Mississippi after diligent search and inquiry, and whose last places of residence, street and post office addresses are and property in the property of the street and post office addresses are and property in the street and post office addresses are and post office address remain unknown after diligent search and inquin remain unknown after diligent search and inquiry made to ascertain same, and Any and all persons tirms or corporations having or claiming to have any title, right or interest in and to the subject real property, whose identities and last known places of residence, street and post office addresses are and remain unknown after diligent search and invited by Pleintiff to ascertain same, and fourthing quiry by Plaintiff to ascertain same, and touching upon title to real property described as Lot 25, BAY WOODS SUBDIVISION, a subdivi-

sion of the City of Bay St Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi as per the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi YOU HAVE BEEN MADE A DEFENDANT IN THE SUIT FILED IN THIS COURT BY PHILLIP V BRUCE. JR . SEEKING COMPLAINT TO CONFIRM TAX TITLE DEFENDANTS OTHER THAN YOU IN THIS COUNT ARE COND. CAR. THAN YOU IN THIS ACTION ARE CONO CAR-ANNA, TIM A KELLAR, MIKE MOORE, CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DE-YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST THIS COMPLAINT OR PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT 9:30 O'CLOCK A.M. ON THE 1ST DAY OF MAY, 2003. IN THE COURTROOM OF THE CHANCERY COURT, AT THE HANCOCK COUNTY COURTHOUSE AT BAY ST. LCUIS. MISSISSIPPI. AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND A JUDG: ENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER THINGS DEMANDED IN MONEY OR OTHER THINGS DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT OR PETITION YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE AN ANSWER OR OTHER PLEADING, BUT YOU MAY DO SO IF YOU DESIRE Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of March. 2003

Timothy A Kellar Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippi BY Pamela Cuevas, D C

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN RE: ESTATE OF MARY VALLELLINGO
GRAFFIA, Deceased
PETITIONER: ALPHONSE A, GRAFFIA

CAUSE NO. 2003-70 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters of Administration having been granted on the 18th day of March, 2003, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi to the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Mary Vallellingo Graffia, Deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to present the same to the clerk of this court for probate and creditation according to court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred THIS the 24th day of March 2003 ALPHONSE A GRAFFIA

Administrator of the Estate of Mary Vallellingo Graffia, Deceased

PREPARED BY
The Law Offices Of
THOMAS D BERRY. JR
Post Office Box 88 (140 Main Street)
Bay St Louis, MS 39520-0088
PHONE/FAX (228)-463-0100 MSB NO 2469 3/27: 4/3, 4/10/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
HANCOCK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES, BY ZADIE ROGERS,
SOCIAL SERVICES REGIONAL DIRECTOR,
AND ERIKA M. PAGE AND DEVON J. DUFFY,
MINORS, BY AND THROUGH THEIR NEXT
FRIEND, ZADIE ROGERS PETITIONERS MICHELLE J. PAGE AND

JASON E. DUFFY RESPONDEN
CIVIL ACTION, FILE NO. 2003-175
CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI RESPONDENTS

TO: Jason E. Duffy, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office address is not known to the Petitioners after diligent inquiry made by said Petitioners You have been made a Respondent in the suit You have been made a Respondent in the sulfified in this Court by the Hancock County Department of Human Services by Zadle Rogers, Social Services Regional Director, and, Erika M Page and Devon J. Duffy, minors, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minors and demanding that the full custody, control and authority to act on behalf of said minors be placed with the Hancock County Department of Human Services. Respondent other than you in this action; is Michalle J. Page. in this action is Michelle J. Page. YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DE-

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST THE PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT 9:30 O'CLOCK A.M. ON THE 1ST DAY OF MAY. 2003, IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY CHANCERY COURTHOUSE AT BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND, A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION. IN THE PETITION.

IN THE PETITION.
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire.
ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this 5 day of March, 2003.

(SEAL)
TIMOTHY A KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
BAYST, LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 39521 M. Earl Scales, MSB#8393 Special Assistant Attorney General Office of the Attorney General P. O. Box 220 Jackson, Mississippi 39205-0220 Telephone No.: 359-4216 03/13; 03/20; 03/27/03

Public Notices

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS. BRANDI MERRELL executed and WHEHEAS, BHANDI MEHRELL executed and delivered a Vanable Rate Promissory Note (Note) in favor of 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC. in the principle amount of TWENTY FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$24,000.00) on the 25th days of April 2003 and

THOUSAND DOLLAHS (\$24,000.00) on the 2sin day of April 2002, and WHEREAS, in order to secure said Note BRANDI MERRELL executed and delivered a Deed of Trust to ERIC D WOOTEN as Trustee for 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC, said Deed of Trust being dated April 25, 2002, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 691 at Pages 035-046 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippir, and sissippi and WHEREAS, 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC is currently the holder of said Promissory Note

and Deed of Trust, and

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust authorized the appointment and substitution of another trustee in the place of the Trustee named therein and 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT. INC desired to appoint and did appoint KELLY M RAYBURN as Substituted Trustee in the place of said ERIC D. WOOTEN by Substitution of Trustee; dated the 6th day of January 2003, which appears of record in Book 736, at Page 219 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, and WHEREAS, said Mortgagor has defaulted in the terms of said Deed of trust by failing to make the payments therein as specified and failing to pay the interest thereon, and under the terms of said Deed of Trust, said indebtedness is declared due payments therein as specified and failing to pay the interest thereon, and under the terms of said Deed of Trust, said indebtedness is declared due

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust authorized the

Payable, and JEREAS, 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC. debtedness thereby secured; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust provides that the Holder thereof may foreclose the Deed of trust in

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Title to said property is believed to be good, but I convey only such title as is vested in me as Sub-

stituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this 25th day of Kelly Michael Rayburn, Substituted Trustee

KELLY MICHAEL HATE P O BOX 2566 GULFPORT, MS 39505 (228) 539-2400 (OFF) (228) 539-3130 (FAX) 3/27, 4/3; 4/10/03

Prepared by: KFLLY MICHAEL RAYBURN

STATE OF MISSISSIPE COUNTY OF HANCOCK

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS, CHERYL LYNN GARRETT executed and delivered a Variable Rate Promissory Note ("Note") in favor of 1011 ŁAND DEVELOPMENT, INC., in the principle amount of TWENTY TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$22,000 00) on the 25th day of April, 2002 and WHEREAS, in order to secure said Note CHERYL LYNN GARRETT executed and delivered a Deed of Trust to ERIC D WOOTEN as Trustee for 1011 LAND DEVELOPMEN. INC., said Deed of Trust being dated April 25, 2002, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 691 at Pages 078. 89 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Han-

089 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Han-089 in the Office of the Conacery Clerk of Plan-cock County, Mississippi and WHEREAS, 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC. is currently the holder of said Promissory Note and Deed of Trust; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust authorized the

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust authorized in the place of the Trustee named therein and 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC. desired to appoint and did appoint KELLY M RAYBURN as Substituted Trustee in the place of said ERIC D. WOOTEN by Substitution of Trustee; dated the 6th day of January 2003, which appears of record in Book 736, at Page 217 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississipp, and WHEREAS, said Mortgagor has defaulted in the terms of said Deed of Trust by failing to make the payments therein' as specified and falling to spay payments therein as specified and failing to pay he interest thereon, and under the terms of si Deed of Trust said indebtedness is declared due and payable, and WHEREAS, 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC.

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of Hancock County, Mississippi Title to said property is believed to be good, but I convey only such title as is vested in me as Sub-

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this 25th day of Kelly Michael Rayburn, Substituted Trustee

Prepared by KELLY MICHAEL RAYBURN P O BOX 2566 GULFPORT, MS 39505 (228) 539-2400 (OFF) (228) 539-3130 (FAX)

3/27, 4/3, 4/10/03

NOTICE OF CONDOMINIUM LIEN SALE WHEREAS, Steven R. Fricke is the owner of the following described condominium located in Han-

cock County, Mississippi; and WHEREAS, there presently exists an unpaid asssment made against said condominium unit

Lakeside Villa Association, Inc., which is the

legally authorized and designated management body of Lakeside Villa Condominium; and WHEREAS. to secure the payment of said un-paid assessment, the Lakeside Villa Association. Inc , caused a Notice of Lien to be filed in the of fice of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippi, on the 11th day of March, 2003, said Notice of Lien being recorded in Condominium Lien Record Book No. 1, pages 134-135, NOW,

THEREFORE.

Public notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned as attorney for Lakeside Villa Association, Inc. in accordance with the provisions of Section 89-9-21 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended will, on the 22nd day of April, 2003, within legal hours, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, the following described condominium until located in Hancock County, Mississippi, Apartment 224, Building C, Lakeside Villa Condominium, Diamondhead, Hancock County, Missispipi, as recorded in Plat Book No. 4, at pages 58-59, inclusive, and according to the Declaration thereof dated January 6, 1973, and recorded in Deed Book Y-2, at pages 366-407, of the Public Deed Book Y-2, at pages 366-407, of the Pul Records on file and of record in the office of the Records on tile and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. Together with all of the appurtenances thereof all according to the said Declaration of Condominium, including an undivided .92 percentage inter-est, in the common elements of said project as described in said Declaration, including the land hereinabove described, and the building located thereon.

thereon.

DATED this the 24th day of March, 2003

JOHN A. SCAFIDE, JR. Attorney For Lakeside Villa Association, Inc. 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/17/03

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Bay-Waveland MiniStorage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi
39576, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the
personal property of lan Clark, whose last known
address was 123 Cedar Avenue, Pass Christian, MS 39571. An auction shall take place at 1:00 o'clock p.m at Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, on Highway 90, Waverar the 16th of April 2003.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippl 39576, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the personal property of Joanne Colson, whose last known address was Lakeshore Road, Lakeshore, Ms 39558. An auction shall take place at 1:00 o'clock p.m. at Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, on the 16th of April 2003. NOTICE

Public Notices

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS. on the 30th day of April, 2001, William G Lumpkin and wife. Shannon K Lump-kin, executed a Deed of Trust to Chartene Rob-erts, Trustee for the benefit of Stuart Commany which Deed of Trust is recorded in Land Trust Deed Book 631 Pages 539-541 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Missis

sippi; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and Stuart Company a Mississippi Corporation, the holder of the Note and Deed of Corporation, the holder of the Note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Trustee. PJ to do, I will on the 4th day of April. 2003. offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, between 11:00 am o'clock and 4:00 pm o'clock. at the Front Door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County at Bay St. Louis Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder the following described property lying and being situated in Hancock County. Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows to-will larly described as follows to-wit Lot 128, Deer Park Subdivision Phase III a sub-Lot 128, Deer Park Subdivision Phase III a subdivision according to the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County. Mississippt. in Plat Book 8 at Page 39 thereof reference to which is hereby made in aid of and as a part of the descriptor.

I will convey only such title as vested in me as WITNESS my signature upon this the 7th day of March, 2003, A D CHARLENE ROBERTS.

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK I, Nicholas M. Haas, Substituted Trustee in Deed of Trust from Terry Carroll assigned to Wanda L. Haas, Beneficiary, dated 7/13/01, recorded in Book 642, Page 555, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land of Hancock County, Mississippi, being requested by holder on the debt secured to foreclose same, for default therein, will on April 11, 2003, during legal hours, offer for sale and sell at public outcry for cash to the high-est and best bidder at the front door of the Court-house of said County, the real property described

as Lot 16, Block 2, SPANISH ACRES ESTATES SUBDIVISION, a Subdivision of Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official map thereof on the and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clark and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, being the property described in said Deed of Trust. The undersigned was substituted as Trustee by instrument dated 3/10/03, recorded in Book 746, Page 257, of said Deed of Trust Record. I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted. Trustee. ADVERTISED, POSTED, and SIGNED this, the 12th day of March 2003.

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE NICHOLAS M. HAAS, ESQUIRE NICHOLAS M. RAAS, ESGI Attorney at Law 624 Highway 90 Waveland, MS 39576 Telephone (228) 467-3935 MSB NO 5090 3/20, 3/27, 4/03, 4/10/03

and SIGNED this, the 12th day of March, 2003.

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S GALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK I, Nicholas M, Haas, Substituted Trustee in Deed of Trust from Mimi D. Cloud to John S Lange. Beneficiary, dated 12/27/99, recorded in Book 471, Page 400, Records of Mortgage and Deeds of Trust on Land of Hancock County, Mississipping being requested by holder on the debt secured to foreclose same, for default therein, will on April 12,003, during legal hours, offer for sale and sell at public outcry for cash to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of said County, the real properly described as Lot 32, Block 3, Unit 8, DIAMONDHEAD, Phase 2, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4 at Pages 51-52 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi creativery cierk of Mancock County, Mississippi being the properly described in said Deed of Trust The undersigned was substituted as Trust-ee by instrument dated March 11, 2003 recorded Trust 1ne undersigned trust 11, 2003 recorded in Book 746, Page 429, of said Deed of Trust Records I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee ADVERTISED POSTED, and SIGNED this, the 14th day of 14th 2003

Nicholas M Haas SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE NICHOLAS M HAAS ESOUIRE Attorney at Law Telephone (228) 467-3935 MSB NO 5090 3/20, 3/27, 4/03, 4/10/03

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on the 5th day of October, 1999; and
WHEREAS. In order to secure said Note on the 5th day of October, 1999; and WHEREAS; in order to secure said Note GREENTRIEE: INVESTMENTS, INC. executed and delivered a Deed of Trust to ERIC D, WOOTEN as Trustee for 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC., said Deed of Trust being dated October 5, 1999, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 568 at Pages 751-755 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, INC. is currently the holder of said Promissory Note and Deed of Trust; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust authorized the

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust authorized the appointment and substitution of another trustee in the place of the Trustee named therein and 1011 LAND DEVELOPMENT, MC. desired to appoint and did appoint KELLY M. RAYBURN as Substituted Trustee in the place of said ERIC D. WOOTEN by Substitution of Trustee; dated the 24th day of April, 2002, which appears of record in Book 689, at Page 794 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, and WHEREAS, said Mortgagor has defaulted in the terms of said Deed of trust by failing to make the payments therein as specified and failing to pay the interest thereon, and under the terms of said Deed of Trust, said indebtedness is declared due and payable; and

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NOW THEREFORE, I, Kelly M. Rayburn, Substituted Trustee, as aforesaid, will on the 17th day of April 2003, offer for sale and sell during the legal hours (between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) at the front door of the Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, located at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, together with the appurtenances and, improvements thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, lying and being situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lots 19, 17 and 18, Mallard Point Subdivision, Phase 3, a subdivision of Hancock County, Mississippi, according to the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi Title to said property is believed to be good, but I convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this 25th day of

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repared by: (ELLY MICHAEL RAYBURN P.O. BOX 2566 GULFPORT, MS 39505 (228) 539-2400 (OFF) (228) 539-3130 (FAX) 3/27; 4/3; 4/10/03

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the personal property of Aline Courrege, whose last known address was 7048 Road 134, Bay St. Louis, Ms 39520. An auction shall take place at 1:00 o'clock p.m. at Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, on the 16th of April 2003. NOTICE

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Notice is hereby given that Bay-Waveland MiniStorage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi
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known address was P.O. Box 2353, Bay St.
Louis, Ms 39521-2353. An auction shall take
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39576, on the 16th of April 2003.
03/27/03

PUBLIC NOTICE

Fore Construction, Inc. will be mobilizing the Wal-Mart Access Road project on April 1, 2003. This project is located on Highway 90, 1/2 mile west of Nicholson Avenue and includes constructing a new western access road for the proposed new Super Wal-Mart; inclusive of paving, signalization and median improvements.

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Notice is hereby given that Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the personal property of Peter Lewis, whose last known address was 610 Herlihy Street, Waveland, MS 39576, An auction shall take place at 1:00 o'clock p.m. at Bay-Waveland Mini-Storage, 926 Highway 90, Waveland, Mississippi 39576, on the 16th of April 2003.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
HANCOCK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES, BY ZADIE ROGERS,
SOCIAL SERVICES REGIONAL DIRECTOR,
AND RENE FRANCIS MARQUES AND ALEXA
RENEE MARQUES, MINORS, BY AND
THROUGH THEIR NEXT FRIEND, ZADIE
ROGERS
VS

VS.
RENEE FOSTER FOURROUX AND GEORGE
RESPONDENTS
CIVIL ACTION, FILE NO. 2003-115
CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Renee Foster Fourroux, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose last known mailing address is c/o Salvation Army, 310 North Street, Pensacola, Florida 32505.

TO: George A. Marques, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office address is not known to the Petitioner after diligent inquiry whose post office address is not known to the Petitioner after diligent inquiry You have been made Respondents in the suit filed in this, Court by the Hancock County Department of Human Services by Zadie Rogers, Social Services Regional Director, and, Rene Francis Marques and Alexa Renee Marques, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minors and demanding that the full section of the property of the property

terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minors and demanding that the full custody, control and authority to act on behalf of said minors be placed with the Hancock County Department of Human Services.

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST THE PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT 9:30 O'CLOCK A.M. ON THE 7TH DAY OF MAY.
2003, IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HAN-COCK COUNTY CHANCERY COURTHOUSE AT BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND, A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this 12 day of March, 2003.

this 12 day of March, 2000.
(SEAL)
TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 39521
BY: Larrinell Scarborough

Deputy Clerk
M. Earl Scales
Special Assistant Attorney General
Office of the Attorney General
P. O. Box 220 Jackson, Mississippi 39205-0220 Telephone No.: 359-4216 MSB#8393 03/20: 03/27: 04/03/03

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
HANCOCK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES, BY ZADIE ROGERS,
SOCIAL SERVICES REGIONAL DIRECTOR,
AND ALBERTO D. LINDSEY, VICTORY E.
LINDSEY, ASHLEY A. LINDSEY, EVELYN G.
LINDSEY AND JESSICA K. LINDSEY,
MINORS, BY AND THROUGH THEIR NEXT
FRIEND, ZADIE ROGERS PETITIONERS
VS.

FRIEND, ZADIE ROGERS

VS.

JOSE LINDSEY

CIVIL ACTION, FILE NO. 2003-173

CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: Jose Lindsey, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office address is not known to the Petitioners after diligent inquiry made by said Petitioners. You have been made a Respondent in the suit filed. In this Court by the Hancock County Department of Human Services by Zadie Rogers, Social Services Regional Director, and, Alberto D. Lindsey, Victory E. Lindsey, Ashley A. Lindsey, minors, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those orbits relate to said minors and demanding that the full, custody, control, and authority to act of behälf of said minors be placed with the Hancock County Department of Human Services.

YOU. ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND

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DEFEND AGAINST THE PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT. 9:30 OCLOCK AM. ON THE 1ST DAY OF, MAY, 2003, IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY CHANCERY COURTHOUSE AT BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND, A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION.

You are not required to file an answer of other pleading, but you may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this 18 day of March, 2003.

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 39520
BY: Larrinell Scarborough
Deputy Clerk M. Earl Scales Special Assistant Attorney General Office of the Attorney General P.O. Box 220 Jackson, Mississippi 39205-0220 Telephone No.: 359-4216 MSB#8393

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK I, Nicholas M. Haas, Substituted Trustee in Deed of Trust from Joseph Cassard and Carolyn Keife to John S. Lange, Beneficiary, dated 9/12/96, recorded in Book 486, Page 307, Records of Mortages and Deeds of Trust on Land of Hancock County, Mississippi, being requested by holder County, Mississippi, being requested by holder on the debt secured to foreclose same, for deon the debt secured to foreclose same, for de-fault therein, will on April 11, 2003, during legal hours, offer for sale and sell at public outcry for cash to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of said County, the real property described as: Apartment 240, in Building J, of the DIAMOND-HEAD CONDOMINIUM No. 1, Amended Plat of FAIRWAY 12, Condominium Complex, Lot "C", as recorded in Plat Book No. 4, at Pages 46-47, Inclusive, and according to the Declaration there-

as recorded in Plat Book No. 4, at Pages 46-47, inclusive, and according to the Declaration thereof dated August 14, 1972, and recorded in Deed Book X-8 at Pages 7-29, re-recorded on the 15th day of December, 1972, in Book Y-1 at Pages 92-115 and amendments thereto dated 15th day of December 1972 and recorded in Deed Book Y-1 at Pages 116-119 of the Public Records on file and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. being the property described in said Deed of Trust. The undersigned was substituted as Trustee by instrument dated March 11, 2003, recorded in Book 746, Page 427, of said Deed of Trust Records. I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee. ADVERTISED, POSTED, and SIGNED this, the 14th day of March, 2003.

Nicholas M. Haas SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE NICHOLAS M. HAAS. ESQUIRE Attorney at Law Attorney at Law 624 Highway 90 Waveland, MS 39576 Telephone: (228) 467-3935 MSB NO.: 5090 3/20; 3/27; 4/03; 4/10/03

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on the 14th day of February, 1996. William J. Chauvin and wife Jessica B. Chauvin, executed a Deed of Trust to Janice H. Goff, Trustee for the Benefit of Stuart Company, a Mississippi Corporation, which said Deed of Trust is recorded in Land Trust Deed Book 447, Pages 617-620, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, which said Deed of Trust was assumed by Donna Hall in that certain Assumption Warranty Deed dated August 19, 1998, and found of record in Deed Book B8176, Pages 223-225 of the Land Deed Records in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Mississippi, thereot; and WHEREAS, Stuart Company, a Mississippi Corporation, substituted in the place and stead of the aforementioned Trustee, Charlene Roberts, by instrument dated March 18, 2003, and recorded in Land Trust Deed Book 748, Page 643, of the aforesaid records; and

aforesaid records; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and Stuart Company, a Mississippi Corporation, the holder of the Note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee, so to do, I will on the 18th day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and self during the legal hours, between 11:00 a.m. o'clock and 4:00 p.m. o'clock, at the Front Door the County Courthouse of Hancock County at octock and 4:00 p.m. octock, at the Front Door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described properly lying and being situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows, to-

wit: LOT 6, DEER PARK SUBDIVISION, PHASE II, according to the official plat of said subdivision on file in Plat Book 8, Pages 26-28, in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Missis-

sippi.
I will convey only such title as vested in me as WITNESS my signature, upon this, the 24th day of March, 2003, A.D

CHARLENE ROBERTS, Substituted Trustee 03/27, 04/03; 04/10; 04/17/03

NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, the United States of America, acting by and through the United States Department of Agriculture, is the owner and holder of the following real estate deed(s) of trust, securing an indebtedness therein mentioned and covering certain real estate hereinafter described located these of County Misconsine, and decoded of in Hancock County, Mississippi, said deed(s) of trust being duly recorded in the Office of the Chancery Clerk in and for said County and State GRANTORS Louis J. Dunklin and wife. Lisa M.

Dunklin
DATE EXECUTED June 30, 1982
TRUST DEED BOOK 243 PAGE 590
WHEREAS, default has occurred in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed(s) of trust, and the United States of America, as Beneficiary, has authorized and instructed me as substitute Trustee to foreclose said deed(s) of trust by advertisement and sale at public auction in accordance with the statutes made and provid-

ed therefor.
THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power of sale contained in said deed(s) of trust and in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor, the said deed(s) of trust will be foreclosed and the properdeed(s) of trust will be foreclosed and the proper-ty covered thereby and hereinafter described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the North front door of the County Court-house in the city of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, in the aforesald County and will sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM) on April 7, 2003, to satisfy the indebted-ness now due under and secured by said deed(s)

or trust.
I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.
The premises to be sold are described as:
(SEE ATTACHED LEGAL DESCRIPTION)
March 13, 2003

Substitute Trustee Duly authorized to act in the Duly authorized to act in the premises by instrument dated August 21, 1996, and recorded in Book 1, Page 7, of the records of the aforesaid County and State. Lot 12, Phase 1, VALPINE SUBDIVISION, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per map or plat of said subdivision on file in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi. 03/13; 03/20; 03/27; 04/03/03

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S HOTICE OF SALE
STATE OF MISSIBEIPFI.
COUNTY OF Hencock
WHEREAS, on the 7th day of February, 2000.
Brandy Dawn Guichet and Husband Craig
Michael Guichet, as estate in the entirety with
rights of survivorship and not at tenants in common, executed and delivered a certain Deed of
Trust unto Doug E. Flavin, Trustee for Advanta
National Bank, Beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein described, which Deed of Trust is
recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of
Hancock County, Mississippi in Book 582 at
Page 475; and

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

Háncock County, Mississippi in Book 582 at Page 475; and WHEREAS, on the 25th day of November, 2002, Advanta National Bank by Chase Manhattan Mortgage Comporation as Attomey-In-Fact, assigned said Deed of Trust unto Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as custodian or trustee, FKA Bankers Trust Company of California, N.A., by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 730 at Page 483; and

said Charicery Clerk in Book 730 at Page 483; and WHEREAS on the 6th day of December, 2002, the holder of said Deed of Trust substituted and appointed John C. Morris III, as Trustee in said Deed of Trust, by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 730 at Page 488; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payments of the indebtedness secured by the said Deed of Trust, and the holder of said Deed of Trust, having requested the undersigned so to do, on the 4th day of April, 2003, I will, during legal hours, at public outcry, offer for sale and will sell, at the Main front door of the Hancock County, Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described land and property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:
Lots 13 and 14, Block 1, Guif-side Association's Subdivision of Lot No. 175 of the Third Ward of the Town of Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat of said subdivision on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, I will only convey such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 7th day of March 2003

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 7th day of WITNESS MY SIGNATU March, 2003. JOHN C. MORRIS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE 2309 OLIVER ROAD MONROE, LA 71201 318-330-9020 F02-2724

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
WHEREAS, on April 9, 2001, Katherine J. Haas
executed a Deed of Trust favoring the undersigned, as Trustee for the benefit of James K.
Wetzel and Garnett Ann Wetzel, to secure an
indebtedness therein described, which Deed of
Trust has been haretofore filed among the land
records in the office of the Chancery Clerk of
Hancock County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust
Book 627, at Page 570 thereof, full and complete
reference thereto being hereby made for all purposes, and

Book 627, at Page 570 Intereor, full and complete reference thereto being hereby made for all purposes, and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions regarding payments of indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and the legal holders of said Deed of Trust, and the indebtedness evidenced therein having requested the undersigned to execute the trust and sell said land and property pursuant to the terms of said Deed of Trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expenses of sale.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Thad Henley, Trustee in the Deed of Trust aforesaid will, on April 11, 2003, during legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.), at public outcry offer for sale and will sell, at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property situated within Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Commencing at a stake 688 feet South of and 20 feet West of the NW corner of the NW 1/4 of the

property situated within Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:
Commencing at a stake 688 feet South of and 20 feet West of the NW comer of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 30, Township 7 South, Range 14 West; thence North 33 degrees West 242.5 feet to a stake set for the Place of Beginning of the land referenced herein; thence North 56 degrees East 180 feet to a stake; thence South 36 degrees East 120.5 feet to a stake; thence South 56 degrees East 120.5 feet to a stake; thence South 56 degrees West 180 feet, more or less, to a stake set on the West leg of the property described herein; thence North 33 degrees West 121.25 feet, more or less, to the Place of Beginning, being part of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 30, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, and part of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 25, Township 7 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.

in me as Trustee.
WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 11th day of March, 2003.

Thad Henley, Trustee P O Box 1118, Gulfport, MS 39502 Ph 228/575-9099 03/20; 03/27; 04/03; 04/10/03

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS, on October 15, 1998, Charles David Mauffray and Marietta A. Mauffray executed and delivered a Dead of Trust to Harry R. Allen, Trustee for Hancock Mortgage Corporation, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 529 at Page 523 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and WHEREAS said Deed of Trust was assigned to Trustmark National Bank by Assignment dated October 15, 1998, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 529 at Page 530 in the aforesaid office; and WHEREAS, Trustmark National Bank appointed Gerald M. Warren as Substitute Trustee by instrument dated February 13, 2003, filed February 24, 2003, and recorded in Deed of Trust Book 743 at Page 375 of the aforesaid records; and WHEREAS, on June 5, 2002, and Order for relief under 11 U.S.C. Chapter 13 was entered by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Mississippi, in Case Number 02-52796 SEG by Petition filed by Charles David Mauffray and Marietta A. Mauffray; and WHEREAS, on November 20, 2002, Edward R. Gaines, United States Bankruptcy Judge, signed an Agreed Order diregting Debtor(s) to make and maintain certain monthly payments on the Deed of Trust referenced herein, in the absence of which the stay imposed by Section 382 of the Bankruptcy Code would automatically lift without further hearings or pleadings before the Court; and NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

and WHEREAS. Debtor(s) failed to comply with the aforementioned Order and the stay imposed by Section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code automatical-

aforementioned Order and the stay imposed by Section 362 of the Bankruptoy Code automatically lifted; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, which default has continued for a period of time necessary for the holder to declare the entire unpaid balance immediately due and payable, and Trustmark National Bank, the holder of the Deed of Trust as aforesaid, having requested the undersigned Substitute Trustee so to do. I will on the 3rd day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, being between the hours of 11:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., at the North front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property lying and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: PARCEL 1: Commencing at the northeast comer of the South 3/4 of Lot 2, Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, and run North 89 degrees 42 minutes West for 78.9 leet to a fence post marking the point of beginning. Thence run North 89 degrees 42 minutes West for 360 feet to an iron in fence; thence run South 89 degrees 10 minutes East along a fence line for 356.12 feet to a fence coner; thence run North 90 degrees 31 minutes East for 415.4 feet to the point of beginning. Said land containing 3.4 acres, more or less, and being part of Lot 2, of Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi

South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi PARCEL 2: Also, a non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress to and from hereinabove property described as follows: Point of beginning being Northeast corner of the South 3/4 of Lot 2, Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, and thence run North 89 degrees 42 minutes West along a fence for 78.9 feet to a fence post; thence run South 00 degrees 31 minutes West for 20 feet; thence run South 89 degrees 42 minutes East for 78.9 feet; thence run North for 20 feet to the point of begin-ning. Said parcel being an easement of 20 feet in width and 78.9 feet long, and being part of the South 3/4 of Lot 2, Section 22, Township 7 South, Range 14 West, Hancock*County, Missis-sippi.

sippi.
I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee. WITNESS my signature this 6th day of March, GERALD M. WARREN, Substitute Trustee

Attorney at Law P. 0. Box 1506 Gulfport, MS 39502 MS Bar No. 06963 03/13; 03/20; 03/27/03 **Public Notices**

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTER'S SALE WHEREAS, on Anti 30, 2001, Ronald E: Miley, Jr. and Leele D; Miley executed and derivered a Dead of Trust to Harry R. Alser, Trustee for Herrock Mortgage Corporation, which Dead of Trust is recorded in Dead of Trust Book 631 at Page 179 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Harrock County, Mississelppi; and WHEREAS: said Dead of Trust wais assigned to Trustmank Netional Bank by Assignment dated April 30, 2001, and recorded in Dead of Trust Book 631 at Page 198 in the sicresaid office; and WHEREAS, Trustmank National Bank appointed Gerald, M. Warreri as Substitute Trustee by Instrument dated February 20, 2003, filed February 27, 2003, and recorded in Dead of Trust Book 744 at Page 224 of the aforesaid records; and. WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Dead of Trust, which default has continued for a period of time necessary for the holder to declare the entire unpaid balance immediately due and payable, and Trustmank National Bank, the holder of the Dead of Trust as sforesaid, having requested the undersigned Substitute Trustee so to do, I will on the 3rd day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, being between the hours of 11:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., at the North front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described and and property hying and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-vit:

Lot Thirty-six (36) and Thirty-seven (37), Block Four (4), Unit Eight (8), DIAMONDHEAD, Phase 2, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per map or plat of said subdivision on file and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

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I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS my signature this 6th day of March,

GERALD M. WARREN,

Gerald M. Warren Attorney at Law P. 0. Box 1506 Gulfport, MS 39502 MS Bar No. 06963 03/13; 03/20; 03/27/03

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, on the 3rd day of March, 1997,
William R. O'Daniel and wife Ruth O'Daniel, executed a Deed of Trust to Chartene Roberts,
Trustee for the benefit of Stuart Company, which
Deed of Trust is recorded in Land Trust Deed
Book 476, Pages 224-227-A, in the office of the
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi;
and

Book 476, Pages 224-227-A, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and Stuart Company, a Mississippi Corporation, the holder of the Note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Trustee, so to do, I will on the 4th day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during the legal hours, between 11:00 a.m. o'clock and 4:00 p.m. o'clock, at the Front Door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property lying and being situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commence at the SW corner of Lot 32, Deer Park Subdivision, Phase II, as per map or plat on file in the Hancock County Chancery Clerks Office; thence South 89 degrees 52 minutes 54 seconds East a distance of 420.00 feet to the true Point of Beginning; thence North 00 degrees 07 minutes 06 seconds East a distance of 362.19 feet to a point located on the South right-of-way of a road; thence South 89 degrees 12 minutes 00 seconds East adiong sald South right-of-way adistance of 305.75 feet to the SE comer of Lot 32, Deer Park Subdivision, Phase III, thence South 80 degrees 52 minutes 54 seconds West a distance of 204.58 feet to the Point of Beginning. The property contains 1.70 acres, more or less, and is a part of Lot 32 and Lot 31, Deer Park Subdivi-

sion, Phase II. The property is subject to a 10 foot utility easement along the North margin of the property. I will convey only such title as vested in me as Trustee.
WITNESS my signature, upon this, the 7th day of March, 2003, A.D.

property contains 1.70 acres, more or less, and is a part of Lot 32 and Lot 31, Deer Park Subdivi-

CHARLENE ROBERTS, Trustee 03/13; 03/20; 03/27; 04/03/03

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on October 24, 2001, Terry M. Oliver and Angela R. Oliver, executed a deed of trust to Anny Mandart, trustee for the benefit of "MERS" Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., which deed of trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 661 at Page 360 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of the County of Hancock, State of Missiespin; and

Mississippi; and WHEREAS, the aforesaid, "MERS" Montgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., the holder of said deed of trust and the note secured theresubstituted John C. Underwood, Jr., as Trust therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by

ee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument dated September 16, 2002 and recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 718 at Page 188; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby, having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, and the legal holder of said indebtedness. WIERS* Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Substituted Trustee's fees and expense of sale; NOW, THEREFORE, I, John C, Underwood, Jr., Substituted Trustee, in said deed of trust, will on the 22nd day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry for cash to the highest bidder, and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 AM, and 4:00 P.M.) at the Main front door of the County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Counter of Micriginal, the following

11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.) at the Main front door of the County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, the following described properly situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to-wit: Commencing at the SE corner of Lot 318, Third Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi; thence North 70 degrees 00 minutes West 89.0 feet along the South line of said Lot 318 to the Point Of Beginning; thence continuing North 70 degrees 00 minutes West 135.0 feet along said lot line; thence South 20 degrees 00 minutes Fast 135.0 feet; thence North 20 degrees 00 minutes East 135.0 feet; thence North 20 degrees 00 minutes East 135.0 feet; thence North 20 degrees 00 minutes East 135.0 feet; thence North 20 degrees 00 minutes East 135.0 feet; thence North 20 degrees 7 hird Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi.

cock County, Mississippi.
Together with a non-exclusive right of way easement for road and utility purposes on, over and across the following described real property, to-

across the following described real property, towit:
Beginning at the NE comer of Lot 318, Third
Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County,
Mississippi, thence South 20 degrees 00 minutes
West 71.0 feet; thence South 81 degrees 56 minutes West 34.0 feet; thence North 70 degrees
00 minutes West 45.0 feet; thence North 70 degrees
00 minutes West 59.0 feet; thence North 70 degrees 00 minutes East 20.0 feet; thence
South 70 degrees 00 minutes East 39.0 feet; thence
North 20 degrees 00 minutes East 27.0
feet; thence North 81 degrees 56 minutes East 34.0 feet; thence North 81 degrees 56 minutes East 34.0 feet; thence North 81 degrees 00 minutes
East 59.0 feet to the South right of way line of
Washington Street; thence South 70 degrees 00
minutes East 20.0 feet to the Point Of Beginning,
Being a part of Lot 318 and 341, Third Ward, City
of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi.
I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in
me as Substituted Trustee. me as Substituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 12th day of

March, 2003.
John C. Underwood, Jr.
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE
Control #03010148
03/27; 04/03; 04/10/03

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S SALE
WHEREAS, MICHELLE MARIE ONG AND
JAMES J. ONG executed and delivered a certain
Promissory Note of even date, in the principal
amount of \$12,000.00, payable to Keesler Federal Credit Union: and

Promissory Note of even date, in the principal amount of \$12,000.00, payable to Keesler Federal Credit Union; and WHEREAS, AS SECURITY FOR SAID INDEBT-EDNESS, MICHELLE MAIRE ONG AND JAMES J. ONG on March 29, 2001, executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust to Joseph L. Ward, as Trustee, for the benefit of Keesler Federal Credit Union, which Deed of Trust was recorded on April 5, 2001, in Deed of Trust Book 627, pages 95-101 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land, Hancock County, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust authorized the appointment and substitution of another Trustee in the place of the Trustee name therein, Keesler Federal Credit Union, acting by and through its duly authorized agent and officer, as the hokder of the note, and appoint Robert Alan Byrd of Blioxi, Mississippi, to be the Trustee under said Deed of Trust in place and in stead of Joseph L. Ward with all powers and duries of the original trustee, said appointment of Substituted Trustee dated the 11th day of March, 2003, and appearing of record in Book 747, at page 217, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land of Hancock County, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi; and WHEREAS, said mortgagors have defauted in the terms of asid Note and Deed Trust by failing to comply with the terms and conditions stated therein, including but not limited to failure to

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make payments thereon as epecified and failure to pay the interest thereon; and under the ferms of said Note and Deed of Trust, said indebted-

to pay the interest thereor; and under the lemma of said Note and beed of Trust, said indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and WHEREAS, said Keesler Federal Credit Union has demanded that said Deed of Trust be forecosed in the manner provided therein so as to satisfy the indebtedness thereby secured; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust provides for the sale of said property at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash in Hancock County, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, the County wherein the property is located.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Robert Alan Byrd, Substituted Trustee, as aforesaid, will on the 18th day of April, 2003, offer for sale and said furing the legal hours (between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) at the Main Door of the Hancock County. Mississippi, as designated by the resolution of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County. Mississippi, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, together with the appurlenances and improvements thereundo belonging, or in any wise appertaining, lying and being situated in Hancock County, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and being more particlarly described as follows, to-wit: LOT 57, BLOCK 11, UNIT 11, DIAMONDHEAD, PHASE 2, according to the map or plat thereof on file and of record in Piat Book 4, pages 84-66, in

PHASE 2, according to the map or plat thereof on file and of record in Plat Book 4, pages 64-66, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock Count), Mississippi.

The above being the identical property described in the foregoing Deed of Trust as described therein.

Therein.
The title to the above property is believed to be good; however, I will convey only such title as is vested in me under the terms and conditions of the aforementioned Deed of Trust.
WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on this the 24th day of March, 2003. BORERT ALAN BYRD

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on the 21st day of December, 1998, Jerry A. Pichon and Barbara J. Pichon executed a Deed of Trust to Kenneth L. Jones, Trustee, Jones Builders, Inc. Beneficiary, which Deed of Trust so no file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 536, Page 531; and WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of Trust and the note secured thereby, substituted JOHN H. RICE, Esq. as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk in Book 742, Page 203 thereof, and WHEREAS default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trustee to the propose of resign the surge due therein. accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust

for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunfor the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, NOW THEREFORE, I, John H. Rice, Substituted Trustee in said Deed of Trust will on the 24th day of April, 2003, offer for sale at public outcry, and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM) at the north front door of the County Courthouse of the County of Hancock, at Bay St. Louis to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississiphi. to-wit:

ated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to-wit:
Lot Thirty-four (34), Block Seven (7), Unit Five
(5), Diamondhead, Phase Two (2), a subdivision
according to the official map or plat thereof on file
and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk
of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Plat Book 4, at
Page 38-40 thereof, reference to which is hereby
made in aid of and as a part of this description.
I will convey only such title as is vested in me as
Substituted Trustee.
WITNESS my signature this the 19th day of
March, 2003. March, 2003.

JOHN H. RICE, Substituted Trustee

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on November 30, 1999, Donald O. Pinkston and Peggy Ann Small Pinkston, executed a Deed of Trust to Randal A. Gomez, Trustee for the use and benefit of American Fidelity, Inc., which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 576 at Page 784 thereof; and

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FREAS, said Deed of Trust was assigned to WHEHEAS, said Deed of Trust was assigned to The Provident Bank, by assignment on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Han-cock County, Mississippi, in Book 690 at Page 460 thereof; and WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of whereast, the regal holder of the said Deed of Trust and the note secured thereby, substituted Lem Adams, III, as Trustee therein, as authorized

Lem Adams, III, as Irrustee therein, as aumonized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 690 at Page 462 thereof; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that I, Lem Adams, III, Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.) at the North front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, or the 11th day of April, 2003, the following described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-witt. by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded

of Trust, situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:
A certain tot or parcel of land, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon and all the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto, belonging or in anywise appertaining, being more fully described as follows, to-wit:
Lot 212, Third Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, as per E. S. Drake, plat on file in office of the Chancery Clerk; being the property formerly known and designated as Lot No. 204A, Third Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, as per Henderson Plat on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Being the same property acquired by grantor herein from Elsie Stevens by deed dated Sep-tember 23, 1908, as recorded in Book 88, Pages 411-412, Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITHESS my signature, on this the 14th day of

March, 2003. LEM ADAMS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE PREPARED BY: ADAMS & EDENS Foreclosure Department POST OFFICE BOX 400 BRANDON, MISSISSIPPI 39043 (601) 825-9508 03/20; 03/27; 04/03; 04/10/03

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on October 27, 1999, Reginald D. Smith and, Linda M. Smith, Husband and Wife executed a certain deed of trust to Charles M. Jackson, Jr., Trustee for the benefit of North American Mortgage Company, which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Mississippi in Book 572 at Page 148; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. by instrument dated June 28, 2002 and recorded in Book 713 at Page 272 of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's office; and WHEREAS, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. has heretofore substituted J. Gary Massey as Trustee by instrument dated February 19, 2003 and recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's Office in Book 743 at Page 354; and SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

dated February 19, 2003 and recorded in the aloresaid Chancery Clerk's Office in Book 743 at Page 354; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attomey's fees, trustee's fees and expense of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. Gary Massey, Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on April 17, 2003 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, located at Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Misrispilor Lowerite.

cated at Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hancock County, State
of Mississippi, to-wit:
Lot Thirten (13), PECAN PARIK SUBDIVISION,
Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official
plat of said subdivision recorded in the office of
the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock
County, Mississippi, in Plat Book 7, page 20.
I WILL CONVEY only such title as vested in me
as Substituted Trustee.
WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on March 20, 2003.
J. Garv Massey

J. Gary Massey SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE SUBSTITUTED THUSTEE Shapiro & Massey, L.L.P. 1910 Laketand Drive, Suite B Jackson, MS 39216 (601) 981-9299 03/27; 04/03; 04/10/03 **Public Notices**

WHEREAS, on February 14, 2001, Yvonne E. White end huisband, Danny R. White, executed a Deed of Trust to Learn Adams, III, Trustee for the use and benefit of Option Orie Morigage Corporation, which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Misalesippi, in Deed of Trust Book 620 at Page 394 thereof; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was assigned to Wellis Fargo (Bank Minnesota, N.A., as Trustee for registered hokders of Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2001-A. Asset Backed Certificates. Series 2001-A. by assignment on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Miselesippi, in Book 690 at Page 437 thereof; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that f, Lem Adams, III, Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.) at the North front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 11th day of April, 2003, the following described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Lotat and 15, Square 616, SHORELINE PARK

to-wit:
Lots14 and 15, Square 616, SHORELINE PARK
SUBDIVISION, Unit No. 6, Addition No. 3, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat
of said subdivision on file in the office of the Clerk
of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, and recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 44.
Title to the above described property is believed
to be good, but I will convey only such title as is
vested in me as Trustee.
WITNESS my signature, on this the 14th day of
March, 2003.

March, 2003. LEM ADAMS, III SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE
PREPARED BY: ADAMS & EDENS Foreclosure Department POST OFFICE BOX 400 BRANDON, MISSISSIPPI 39043 (601) 825-9508 03/20; 03/27; 04/03; 04/10/03

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, on April 13, 2001, Timothy Williams and Sarah Buchanan, executed a certain deed of trust to Robert R. Patterson, Jr., Trustee for the benefit of MID-SOUTH INVESTMENT CORP, which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Missispip in Book 628 at Page 503 and re-recorded in Book 630 at Page 237; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., by instrument dated February 3, 2003 and recorded in Book 741 at Page 423 of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's office; and WHEREAS, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGIS-

ed reoruary 3, 2003 and recorded in Book 741 at Page 423 of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's office; and WHEREAS, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., has heretofore substituted J. Gary Massey as Trustee by instrument dated February 5, 2003 and recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's Office in Book 741 at Page 425; and .
WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expense of sale.
NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. Gary Massey, Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on April 17, 2003 offer for sale at public outry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the Main door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, located at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, Elowits.

Mississippi, to-wit: Lot 42, Block 5, DIAMONDHEAD, UNIT 7.

PHASE 2, a subdivision according to the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Plat Book 4 at Pages 48-50 there-WILL CONVEY only such title as vested in me as Substituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on February 25.

J. Gary Massey SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE Shapiro & Massey, L.L.P. 1910 Lakeland Drive, Suite B Jackson, MS 39216 (601) 981-9299 3/27; 4/3; 4/10/03

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